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And Notice is hereby further given, that after the said 12th day of September, 1938, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the Claims and Demands of which notice shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 29th day of July, 1938.

ROBERT WALLACE, Solicitor for said Executor, Riddels Buildings, Donegall Place, Belfast.

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11-30—Mr. C. H. GARLAND.
7-0—Mr. W. A. SAMPSON.

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11-30—Mr. W. HOY.
7-0—Mr. S. G. SHANKS.

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11-30—Mr. S. G. SHANKS.
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7-0 p.m.—"Christian Courage."

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7-0—Very Rev. JOHN WADDELL, M.A., D.D.

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7-0 p.m.—Rev. H. H. MURPHY.

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Sacrament of Baptism.
7-0—"Victorious Living."
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Sacramental Service.

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Preacher—
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7-0—Rev. JOHN W. STUTT.

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M. J. WATKINS.
General Manager and Secretary
Harbour Office, Belfast.
30th July, 1938.

URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL OF WARRENPOINT.

NOTICE PUBLISHING TIME AND PLACE OF AUDIT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Audit of the Accounts of the above-named Council for the financial period ended the 31st day of March, 1938, will be opened in the TOWN HALL, WARRENPOINT, by H. D. STRAIN, Esq., Local Government Auditor, on FRIDAY, the 5th day of AUGUST, 1938, at the hour of 10-30 o'clock, when and where objections to any matter contained in the said several Accounts will be heard.

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TRADE RECESSION

JEWS AND SPAIN

COMMONS DEBATE

RANGES OVER MANY TOPICS.

ADVERSE TRADE BALANCE.

GOVERNMENT'S ANSWER.

On a motion for the adjournment of the British House of Commons, Mr. ALEXANDER (Lab., Hillsborough) opened a debate on the trade position. He pointed out that the trade returns for the first six months of this year showed an adverse trade balance of more than £203,000,000 compared with [illegible] in the corresponding six months of last year. The adverse balance was, in fact, £20,000,000 more than in the first six months of 1931.

"I anticipate," he added, "that the trade balance will be steeper in the next six months and therefore we are facing the danger of an increasingly serious situation." He did not believe that anyone who examined the facts could fail to conclude that we were already once again in the cycle of a trade depression.

Referring to the long delay in reaching a complete agreement with America, he declared: "I should not be at all surprised if there is not considerable opposition from British manufacturers and exporters with what I may call the Birmingham type of mind. If it were not for the rearmament programme, we should to-day be in a far worse trade and employment situation than we were in 1931."

"POSITION IMPROVING."

Mr. OLIVER STANLEY (President of the Board of Trade) said the course of our overseas trade had altered completely between the first and the second quarter of the year. Whereas, during the first quarter there was a monthly increase in the adverse balance of visible trade compared with the year before, in the three months of the second quarter the visible adverse balance had, month by month, been lower than it was a year ago. Although the fall in the second quarter had not yet been sufficient to make up for the increase in the first quarter, yet the tendency was towards an improvement. With regard to America, he assured the House of the strong, anxious desire of the Government to bring the negotiations to a successful conclusion, and to obtain as a result a treaty which was fair to both parties, which would lead to the expansion of trade between the two, and might be perhaps the first step to increased trade elsewhere in the world as well.

Dr. BURGIN, Minister of Transport, replying to demands that the Government should reconsider their decisions with regard to the building of the proposed Humber, Severn and Forth Road bridges, agreed that it was inevitable that disappointment would be caused by his announcement that in the present circumstances the Government were unable to offer contributions towards the cost of these bridges. None of these proposals, he pointed out, was free from controversy. Neither the place of the bridge, its type, nor its effect on navigation had as yet been concluded in the case of any one of the bridges. The steel required for these bridges would amount to only about half a week's output of the steel industry in this country, so that to treat the work as a substantial contribution to the prosperity of the iron and steel trade was nonsense. If, however, the controversies with regard to the Severn bridge were settled he would be prepared to re-examine the question.

With regard to the Humber and Forth Road bridges, he added—"The position for the moment must stand in the way that I announced.

"In present conditions, with the demand on the national resources for rearmament, it is not possible to give grants from national funds for the construction of these bridges.

"I cannot, with the best will in the world, take the matter further than that."

JEWISH REFUGEES.

Captain CAZALET (C., Chippenham) raised the question of refugees from Europe and said there was every evidence to-day that a wholesale indiscriminate persecution of Jews was going on in Vienna with the deliberate intention almost of compelling those people to choose suicide as the only way out of their misery. It was intolerable that people should not only be forced into involuntary exile but robbed of every penny as wel.

He suggested that a few of the pioneers from Palestine might form the nucleus of a new Jewish home in Africa. He did not believe that the British Empire would suffer if we extended open-handed generosity to some of these persecuted refugees. "They would rather fight disease and the tsetse fly in Central Africa," he added, "than the Nazi regime in Central Europe."

Earl WINTERTON, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, who attended the Evian conference, said that this problem required most careful and delicate treatment if the position of these unfortunate people in their country of origin was not going to be made worse. The policy of the Government with regard to the admission of refugees to this country was a middle course policy.

"Our attitude," he added, "is to treat every applicant as sympathetically as possible, but we are of opinion that there can be no indiscriminate admissions. This policy has the full support of the private refugee organisations."

It was quite obvious in this matter that the whole object must have regard to the state of public opinion in this country. The Evian organisation would continue its work, not in conflict with but in co-operation with the League organisation for refugees.

We should realise the intense interest not merely of the President and Government of the United States but of the people of that country in the matter. The House would agree that the well of sympathy in the United States with human suffering was a very deep one. He believed we should be able, steadily and continuously, to assist in the alleviation of the sufferings of those poor people. German co-operation in the work was, of course, most desirable. If the minorities were to be forced to leave the country of their birth they must have the financial means to move. He could not believe this fact would be ignored by practical people like the Germans. The Organising Committee would meet again in London on Wednesday next week. He understood it was intended there should be a British chairman of that body.

RECRUITING FOR SPAIN.

The DUCHESS OF ATHOLL (Kinross and West Perth) refuted a suggestion made by Capt. HEILGERS (C., Bury St. Edmunds) that in giving her name as a patron of a fund for helping wounded members of the International Brigade and dependants of those serving or killed in the Brigade she was recruiting men for the Brigade.

She explained that she became a patron of the fund in response to a letter from Professor J. B. S. and Mrs. Haldane, and added. "I am perfectly satisfied, from letters I have had from Mrs. Haldane, that her committee has nothing whatever to do with recruiting."

She denied emphatically that the committee of which she was a patron gave any assistance at all to the young man whose parents had complained to Capt. Heilgers as to the manner in which he was sent to Spain to fight for the Government forces.

"Is it worth while," she asked, "to take up the time of the House by casting reflection upon members on so minute a matter as this to stop what must be a very small trickle of volunteers, if there is a trickle at all, when, we hope, in a very few months, there might be a complete withdrawal?"

Miss RATHBONE (Ind., English Universities), another of the seven M.P.'s mentioned by Captain Heilgers as being associated with the fund, associated herself with the remarks of the Duchess.

Captain HEILGERS, replying, read correspondence which, he said, passed between one of his constituents and the Communist Party and the International Brigade Dependants' Wounded Aid Committee. This correspondence, he said, showed that the Duchess and Miss Rathbone had been deliberately misled. This organisation seemed to be the cause of all the young men going to Spain, even though the Duchess did not know it.

"I can do nothing but stick to my guns," he added, "and so I stand by everything I have said so far."

The House rose for the summer recess until Tuesday, November 1, unless the Speaker decides that the public interest requires that it should meet at an earlier date.

P.M. AND SLUMP TALK.

Replying to Sir Percy Harris (L., Bethnal Green) at question time in the Commons.

Mr CHAMBERLAIN said that Government armament work had frequently been diverted to areas where it was most urgently required.

"I deprecate any suggestion that we are at present on the edge of a slump or a return to any such conditions as prevailed in 1931." Mr Chamberlain added.

Mr. TOMLINSON (Lab., Farnworth) said that the most familiar sight in Lancashire now was notices of the sale of mills. He asked if the Prime Minister would consider in the recess something to replace the trade which was being destroyed.

Mr. CHAMBERLAIN—I am conscious of the difficulties of Lancashire, and am anxious to do anything I can, but Mr. Tomlinson has given me credit for greater powers than any wizard had in thinking I can devise during the recess new industries to take the place of those that are closing.

Sir JOSEPH NALL (C., Hulme) suggested closer co-operation between the Colonial Office, the Foreign Office, and the Board of Trade with a view to increasing export trade. (Cheers.)

ULSTER MOTORING CASE.

QUESTION OF JURISDICTION.

APPEAL FROM NEWRY DISMISSED.

An interesting judgment affecting procedure in appeals from petty sessions to county courts was given yesterday in the Ulster Court of Appeal, in the case stated by Judge Bates, County Court Judge for Down, at the request of the Crown, in an appeal brought by James F. M'Geough, Carrickbracken, Camlough, South Armagh, against a conviction at Newry Petty Sessions for a motoring offence, the complainant being District-Inspector Kiernan.

The point was whether the appeal lay to the County Court Judge of Down or the County Court Judge of Armagh, the offence having taken place in County Armagh, at a place within the Newry Petty Sessions district, and the conviction at Newry Petty Sessions held in the County Down.

The case stated was argued before the Lord Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Brown in the Divisional Court, and their Lordships during the hearing removed it into the Court of Appeal.

The Judgment of the Court was given by the Lord Chief Justice, who after reciting the facts out of which the case stated arose and referred to the law on the subject, said that the court held that the procedure was altered by the Summary Jurisdiction Act (N.I.), [illegible] and appeals were no longer to be taken to Quarter Sessions in the county where the order was made in cases where the offence occurred in another county.

In the present case, in the clear opinion of the court, the Court of Summary Jurisdiction was then acting for the County of Armagh, in whose area the offence was committed.

The questions asked must be answered in the negative and the appeal dismissed.

SUGGESTION AS TO COSTS.

It was unfortunate that the defendant was deprived of his right to appeal, and the Court suggested to the Attorney-General that in the circumstances of the case the fine be remitted and that the defendant's costs be provided for. They would like to hear the Attorney-General's views on the matter, as the case was in the nature of a test case.

Mr. Gerald Dougherty said that the Attorney-General instructed him to say that he agreed with the suggestion of the Court and the defendant would get his costs of the case statted.

The Lord Chief Justice said they would make an order providing for the costs of the case stated.

Mr. Wm. Johnson, for the defendant, said he appreciated the suggestion of the Court with regard to costs, and thanked the Attorney-General for his attitude in the matter.

He suggested, however, that the Attorney-General might waive the matter of time in the appeal to the County Court and allow them to go to Markethill Quarter Sessions to have the conviction removed.

The Lord Chief Justice said the Attorney-General had power to deal with the matter.

The Attorney-General (Mr. E. S. Murphy, K.C., M.P.) and Mr. Gerald Dougherty (instructed by Mr. R. Haldane Carson, Chief Crown Solicitor) were for the Crown, and Mr. William Johnson (instructed by Messrs. Fisher & Fisher) represented M'Geough.

ULSTER ORCHARD COMPETITION.

CRUMLIN'S DISTINCTION.

HOW THE CUPS WERE AWARDED.

Judging of the Northern Ireland Annual Apple Orchard Competition, promoted by the Ulster Horticultural Society, which commenced on Monday, finished at a late hour on Thursday. The provisional results are as follows:—

Champion Ulster Orchard for the year — Sinclair Thompson, Ardmore, Crumlin.

Aberdeen Challenge Cup—1, Patrick Donnelly, Kilmore House, Moy; 2, J. S. Greer, Megarity, Annaghmore; 3, George Scott, Annaclare, Armagh.

Gibson Challenge Cup — 1, John Moffat, Lisnamintry, Portadown; 2, T. M'Cann, Whiterock, Killinchy; 3, Samuel J. Brown, Salters Grange, Armagh.

Novice Class—1, W. J. M'Wade, Laurelhill, Loughgall; 2, Christy Mossman; 3, Robert M. Duncan Largy House, Crumlin; 4, B. Leslie Winslow, Inniskeen, Enniskillen; 5, W. G. M'Cleary, Bleary, Portadown; 6, Franklin Manderson, The Hill Crumlin.

The results are subject to confirmation by the committee and the judges. Reports and individual points will be published after the committee meets. The judging was carried out by Messrs. C. J. Spencer, D. W. Bailie and G. Doolan.

LEITRIM WEDDING.—Group taken at G.N.R. Hotel, Bundoran, after the marriage in St Aidan's Church, Kinlough, County Leitrim, of Dr. Donal J. Curran, Cranford Middlesex, and Miss Mai Walshe, daughter of Dr. P. D. Walshe and Mrs. Walshe, Melvyngrove, Kinlough. The bridesmaid was Miss Marjorie O'Reilly, and the best man Mr. Desmond Curran. Rev. E. M'Guigan, Prince Edward Island, Canada, officiated.

FINGER CAUGHT IN DOOR HINGE.

CASE OF BELFAST CHILD.

IMPORTANT TO TRADERS.

The Lord Chief Justice, in the Ulster King's Bench yesterday remitted to the Recorder an action for damages for personal injuries brought by Aileen Morrison, a minor, by her father, James Morrison, Larkfield Road, Belfast, against Messrs. Sinclair's, Ltd., drapers, Royal Avenue, Belfast.

The case, which disclosed rather unusual circumstances, was before his Lordship at a previous Court on motion to remit, and he had held over his decision for consideration.

The minor plaintiff was going into the defendants' premises with her mother, who was shopping, when her finger was caught in the hinge of a spring door.

The Lord Chief Justice said there was no evidence of negligence on the part of the defendants. The child came on defendants' premises not as an invitee, but at the most as a licensee, and there was no evidence of a trap or concealed danger. He, therefore, sent the case to the County Court, costs to be costs in the cause.

Mr. Jones (instructed by Mr. S. Victor Tughan) was for the plaintiff, and Mr. B. J. Fox (instructed by Messrs. J. C. W. Rea & Son) appeared for the defendants.

BRITISH MARKETS.

NEWS FROM MANY CENTRES.

HOW PRICES RULED YESTERDAY.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR (Official Report)—Market quiet on the approach of London holidays. Values remain unchanged.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—Liberal supplies on offer met a quiet demand at easy rates. Salmon: English 2s 4d to 2s 9d, Scottish 2s 4d to 3s, Irish 2s to 2s 4d, Norwegian 2s to 2s 5d, salmon trout 1s 3d to 1s 10d, soles also slips 1s to 1s 6d, lobsters 8d to 1s 6d, crabs 2d to 1s 3d—per lb.; turbot 5s to 7s 6d, doreys 2s to 3s, brill 6s to 8s, plaice 5s to 8s, halibut 4s to 12s, lemon soles 5s to 11s, cod 2s to 5s, whiting 1s to 3s, hake 4s to 7s, flake (dogfish) 4s to 5s 6d, haddocks 2s to 5s, skate wings 3s to 6s, roker wings 4s to 8s. English fresh herrings 2s to 2s 6d, Scottish 2s to 3s—per stone; live eels 12s to 28s, dead 10s to 21s—per draught; bloaters 3s 6d to 4s, kippers 2s to 5s—per box; periwinkles, Scottish 5s to 12s per cwt.; shrimps 1s to 2s per gallon.

GRIMSBY FISH.—Good supply; demand fair. Soles 1s 6d, turbot 6d, brill 8d, salmon 3s 1d—per lb.; best plaice 8s, lemon soles 9s, whitings 5s, cod 4s, codlings 3s, hake 9s, small haddocks 3s, medium 4s, gibbed 4s 9d, large dabs 8s, small dabs 2s 6d, dogfish 3s 6d, roker 8s 6d—per stone.

FLEETWOOD FISH.—Mackerel 4s, coalfish 5s, cod 30s, sprags 28s, codling 27s, conger 15s, dogfish 30s, gurnard 3s, haddock 30s, hake 76s, ling 13s, small megrims 5s, monkfish 12s, pollack 15s, roker 47s, skate 42s, whiting 15s—per 10 stone; soles 21s, brill 8s, turbot 6s, halibut 14s—per stone.

LONDON CORN (Opening).—Trade quiet; prices steady. Wheat steady; No. 1 Northern Manitoba 40s, Australian 33s to 34s. Flour slow; London straight run 30s for delivery Home Counties, 29s 6d Inner London area; Australian 24s to 24s 6d, excluding quota. Maize steady; Plate 31s 9d. Barley steady; No. 3 Canadian Western 23s. Oats easier; Plate 24s. Market closed on Monday.

Closing:—Prices easy. Wheat easier; No. 3 Northern Manitoba Atlantic ex ship 37s 3d. Flour quiet; London straight run 30s delivery Home Counties, 29s 6d Inner London Area. Maize steady; Plate new landed 31s 9d. Barley steadier, No. 3 Canadian Western Vancouver ex ship 23s. Oats easy; No. 1 Canadian feed Atlantic landed 24s.

LONDON POTATO—Fair supplies met a slow demand. Lincoln Kidneys 4s 6d to 5s 6d, Epicures 4s to 4s 6d, Essex Ninetyfolds Kidneys also Eclipse 4s 6d to 5s, Kent Ninetyfolds 4s 6d to 5s—per cwt.

LONDON PROVISIONS.—Butter in limited demand; Danish 125s to 126s; Dutch finest unsalted 110s to 112s, exceptionally 114s, rolls 13s to 13s 6d; New Zealand finest 129s, unsalted 122s; Australian finest 119s to 120s, unsalted 120s to 121s. Cheese—Canadian coloured and finest white 78s to 80s; New Zealand coloured 68s 6d to 69s, finest white 68s 6d; Australian coloured 66s to 67s 6d, finest white 63s 6d to 67s; English finest farmers' 84s to 86s, factory 65s to 65s 6d; Dutch Edam 40 per cent, 48s to 56s, Gouda 40 per cent, 48s to 52s, full cream 64s to 69s. Bacon—The official announcement regarding supplies temporarily disorganised the market and caused all round price reductions; English No. 1 sizeable 105s, No. 2 sizeable 102s; Irish lean sizeable 99s to 105s; Danish No. 1 sizeable 105s; Swedish No. 1 sizeable and Dutch No. 1 sizeable 101s. Lard slow; Irish cartons 53s 6d to 56s 6d, bladders 50s to 62s, packets 50s to 60s; American boxes (2·28) 48s 6d to 51s 6d, cartons 53s 6d to 56s 6d; Canadian boxes (2·28) 47s to 51s 6d. Hams firm; English 135s to 160s.

LONDON PRODUCE.—Sugar—Spot dull and unaltered; raws slow; terminal slightly easier, December sold 5s 4½d to 5s 4¾d. Cocoa firm for shipment, but terminal quiet; October sold 23s 7½d. Rice dull. Pepper steady. Jute firmer; firsts old crop July-August sold £19 10s, new sellers £19 15s. Manilla hemp also African sisal idle. Shellac steady. Copra inactive. Rubber steady; sheet spot sold 7 13-16d. Linseed oil quietly steady; spot 25s 9d, August 25s 3d, September-December 23s, January-April 22s 10½d. Turpentine unchanged. Linseed steady; Plate August £11 7s 6d, Calcutta August £12 8s 9d, Bombay £12 18s 9d. Ground nuts quietly steady.

LONDON MEAT.—Trade quiet. Beef—Scottish sides long unmarked 5s 4d to 5s 8d, short do 5s 10d to 6s 2d; imported, hind quarters 2s 8d to 4s 6d, fore do. 2s to 2s 6d. Mutton—Scottish, tegs 4s 8d to 5s 4d, wethers 3s 8d to 4s 8d; English, wethers including tegs 4s 4d to 5s 4d; imported wethers 2s 4d to 4s 2d, ewes 2s to 2s 8d. Lamb—English 5s 8d to 6s 8d, Scottish 5s 4d to 6s 8d, Irish 5s to 6s, imported 4s 2d to 5s 4d. Veal—English fat 6s 4d to 7s 8d, bobbies 4s 8d to 5s 4d. Pork—English 4s 10d to 5s 8d, imported 4s 6d to 4s 10d.

LIVERPOOL PROVISIONS.—Fowls 7d to 7½d, chickens 10d to 11d, small spring chickens out of season.

LIVERPOOL CORN.—Wheat quiet. Flour quiet and unchanged straight run 28s 6d ex mill. Maize dull and lower; expected arrivals of American yellow 6s 1d to 6s 1½d, River Plate 6s 10½d. Oats scarce; English white 8s 9d to 9s 3d. Oatmeal unchanged. Barley lower; expected arrivals of No 3 Canada Western 25s to 25s 3d. Bran thirds quiet.

LIVERPOOL BUTTER.—Very quiet conditions of market, especially for Colonials, which have sellers at recent prices. New Zealand finest 121s to 124s, Australian 120s to 123s. Irish is offered at 120s to 125s. Continentals steady at unchanged prices. Danish 125s to 128s, Swedish 117s to 120s, Dutch 113s to 116s—per cwt.

LIVERPOOL PRODUCE (First Report)—Cane sugar steady. Cocoa—West African slow, forward shipments quiet. Coffee quiet. Rice steady and quiet. Linseed quiet. Palm oil dull and idle; sellers soft oils July-August to October-November shipments £14 12s 6d to £14 17s 6d according to position transit option, 2s 6d less ex quay terms. Tallow very steady and quiet; South American beefs quoted 20s 3d to 21s 6d c.i.f. for shipments according to brand. Palm kernels quiet. Rubber—Hard fine Para spot and forward held for 7½d. Linseed oil quietly steady. Resin quietly steady. Petroleum steady. Turpentine and ground nuts quiet.

Second Report.—Cane sugar quiet; sellers 5s 4½d c.i.f. July-August to U.K. Cocoa—West African spot slow of sale, forward shipments quietly steady. Coffee very quiet. Rice fully steady. Linseed steady and quiet. Palm oil—Demand slow; sellers soft oils spot £14 10s, July-August and August-September £14 12s 6d, September-October £14 15s, October-November £14 17s 6d transit, 2s 6d less ex quay terms; Lagos forward nominal, £15 12s 6d. Tallow very steady and quiet; offerings rather restricted. Palm kernels rather easier; sellers August shipments £9 5s, September £9 6s 3d; demand very quiet. Rubber—Hard fine Para spot and forward 7½d, firm; plantation steady, values spot and August-September 7¾d, October-December 8d. Linseed oil quietly steady. Resin steady and quiet. Petroleum and turpentine steady. Ground nuts quietly steady. Lard—Boxes firm; 49s to 50s.

DUBLIN CORN.—Small number of samples on offer, with buyers cautious. A sharp increase in prices—White oats 15s 6d to 16s 9d, black 14s 3d to 15s 3d, and barley 20s to 21s 6d—per barrel delivered.

GLASGOW IRON AND STEEL.—Generally speaking, there have been very few orders reported during the holiday period. Works will reopen next week, but conditions are not expected to show much improvement until at least the end of the English holidays.

CLEVELAND IRON.—Seasonal quietness very marked, but during the dull trading season stocks of iron and steel are expected to fall to an extent that will necessitate moderate autumn buying, though customers continue to contend that stablised quotations are too high, and that substantial price concessions are essential to induce extensive buying. Business in Cleveland pig stagnant, consumers of foundry iron having still heavy accumulations of Continental products to absorb. Output East Coast hematite still extensive, and further curtailment of production is expected. Semi-finished iron and steel plentiful and difficult to dispose of. Home demand for finished commodities light and export inquiry disappointing. Scrap market deadly dull.

BIRKENHEAD CATTLE.—Trade was slow and of a holiday character, with fewer buyers operating, and late rates were difficult to maintain. Choice small bullocks and heifers made 7½d to 8d, good handyweight bullocks 7¼d to 7½d, heavy and other descriptions 7d to 7¼d, young cows and bulls 5d to 5½d, other classes up to 4½d. Lambs were steady, and late rates were maintained at 9d to 9½d for small weights, and 8½d for other descriptions, all prices per lb. sinking the offal. The week's offerings were 1,007 Irish cattle, 375 Canadian cattle, and 6,137 lambs.

REVENTLOW FAMILY DISPUTE.

AMICABLE SETTLEMENT

THE PARTIES TO SEPARATE.

TERMS REGARDING THE CHILD.

An amicable settlement of all matters in dispute between the Count and Countess Haugwitz-Reventlow was announced yesterday.

The particulars were given with the approval of the solicitors acting for both parties—Messrs. Clifford, Turner, & Co. for the Countess and Messrs. Denton, Hall, & Burgin for the Count. The announcement says:—

"During the last week or so as a result of discussions which have been in progress between Count and Countess Haugwitz-Reventlow and their legal advisers it is now possible to announce that all matters in dispute between them have been amicably settled."

The Count and Countess will live apart and separate. A deed of separation valid in accordance with both Danish and English law has been signed by both parties and is to be subject to the approval of the Danish Minister of Justice.

With regard to the two years' old son Lance, it has been agreed that the Count shall enjoy position under Danish law the nearest English rendering of which is a "parental right," and which secures to him the ultimate decision, concerning the education, religion, and professional career of his son.

At the same time provision has been made that while the child remains of tender years the Countess shall have the care of him for the greater part of the year, and that when he becomes of school age he will spend one half of his holidays with the Count and the other half with the Countess.

According to Danish law, Lance would have an absolute right on his mother's death to a share of her estate. As the Countess may not always preserve Danish nationality she has decided to settle an appropriate sum on Lance forthwith, and the settlement has been executed with the Count as one of the trustees.

The Count has waived any rights which he may have had under Danish law to one-half of the common property of the parties.

[Countess Haugwitz-Reventlow (Miss Barbara Hutton, 25-year-old heiress to the Woolworth millions) accused her husband of using threats towards her. Lance their two-year-old son, was on her application made a ward in Chancery.

The Count appeared at Bow Street Police Court early in the month charged with using threats towards his wife, "whereby she apprehends that she goes in danger of her life or of some bodily harm he will do or will cause to be done to her."

On July 13—the resumed hearing on the case—Sir Patrick Hastings, counsel for the Countess, made application for the charge to be withdrawn, and this was granted, the Count being discharged.

Mr. Norman Birkett, for the Count, emphasised that the Count's only object in the proceedings was to refute the allegations made, and he had come over from France to do so.]

BELGIAN SPIRITS LAW.

DRASTIC REFORM BILL.

Drastic reforms of the law controlling the sale of spirits are contained in a new bill which the Belgian Government is shortly to introduce into Parliament, states the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post" Brussels correspondent.

The Bill will authorise the sale of spirits only in public licensed establishments. The right to sell will be granted to the highest bidders in a given place, in the ratio of one to 500 inhabitants, or one to 1,000, according to population.

Sales will be restricted to seven hours a day, with an extension for tourist centres. Regulations for wines and beers are not affected by the new Bill.

More rigorous measures to punish drunkenness will replace the present law.

ELECTION OF SLIGO MAYOR.

LEGALITY QUESTIONED.

CONDITIONAL ORDER MADE.

The legality of the election of the Mayor of Sligo was questioned in the High Court, Dublin, on Friday, when Michael Hughes, Temple Street, Sligo, a member of the Sligo Borough Council, applied to Mr. Justice O'Byrne for a conditional order by way of an information directed to Councillor Michael Conlon calling on him to show by what authority he claimed to exercise the office of Mayor of the Borough of Sligo.

Mr. M. Ryan, K.C., who appeared for Michael Hughes, said the application was based on the grounds that Michael Conlon was not duly or at all elected to the office of Mayor, that he was not elected by a majority of the members of the Council at the special meeting held On June 23, 1938, to elect a Mayor, and thirdly that Councillor Conlon in purporting to declare himself elected as Mayor for the year 1938-39, to which office a salary of £250 was attached, and despite the ruling given by the Town Clerk and law advisers that the election of Mayor should be decided by the majority of the members present, was taking part in the discussion of a matter before the Council in which he had a pecuniary interest.

Counsel based his application on the affidavit of Michael Hughes, who averred that at the special meeting called for June 23 Michael Conlon, as outgoing Mayor, occupied the chair. Nineteen other members of the Council, including deponent, were present, making in all an attendance of 20. In addition Mr. S. H. Derham, legal adviser to the Council, and the Town Clerk (Mr. R. G. Bradshaw) were present. Three candidates were nominated for the Mayoralty, Councillors Michael Conlon, P. J. Flanagan, and P. O'Hara, but the result of two polls was inconclusive, and the meeting was adjourned for a quarter of an hour. On the resumption the same candidates were again nominated. The result was inconclusive, and the meeting adjourned for a further ten minutes. On the second resumption Councillor Conlon and deponent were nominated, and Councillor Conlon received ten votes and deponent eight. Notwithstanding advice tendered to him by the legal adviser and the Town Clerk, averred Councillor Hughes, that he was not elected because he did not receive a majority of votes, Councillor Conlon declared himself elected.

Councillor Conlon, continued deponent, made a declaration of acceptance of office as Mayor of Sligo for the year 1938-39, was acting at present as Mayor, and had already received payment from the borough treasurer of £20 16s 8d in respect of salary.

Mr. Justice O'Byrne made the conditional order sought.

FALL OFF MAYPOLE.

INQUEST ON BELFAST GIRL.

ACCIDENT NOT CAUSE OF DEATH.

The Belfast Coroner found that an eight-year-old girl who was taken to hospital after falling off a maypole in Dunville Park did not die from injuries, but from sleepy sickness. The child was Margaret Doran, daughter of a labourer named James Doran, living in Bantry Street.

Mary Marley, aged 16, said she saw her sister and Margaret Doran playing on the maypole. She went to bring her sister home, and when the children saw her they jumped off. Margaret fell on her back, and her companion on top of her. She picked her up and took her home.

The father said he noticed a lump on the child's head and took her to the Children's Hospital, where she was examined and sent home. Later he took her back to the hospital as she was very ill. She died in hospital on July 18.

The Coroner said the fall had nothing to do with the child's death. He returned a verdict of natural causes.

Mr. W. Martin M'Call (instructed by Messrs. J. I. Donnelly & Co.) was for the parents.

DISPUTED FERMANAGH WILL

ADMITTED TO PROBATE.

A Co. Fermanagh will made by a 72-year-old man who was stated by some witnesses to have raved, especially at night, was admitted to probate by Mr. Justice Brown in the King's Bench Division of the Ulster High Court yesterday.

The plaintiff, William Stewart, claiming to be the executor of the last will of James Stewart, his father, late of Beagh Big, near Derrygonnelly, County Fermanagh, brought the action to establish the will of deceased. The defendant, Robert Stewart, of Benmore Rectory Churchill, County Fermanagh, is a son of the deceased by a second marriage.

The defence was that the will was not executed properly; that the testator was not in sound mind; and that the deceased at the time of the alleged execution of the will did not know and approve of the contents.

Mrs. Winifred Marshall, a qualified nurse, said the deceased was very irrational. The testator raved more at night, and walked about the road in his bare feet.

Robert Stewart, the defendant, also gave evidence.

James Black, recalled, denied that he and Robert had concocted the story about witnessing the will.

"This is a very interesting case," observed his Lordship, adding that he was quite satisfied from the evidence that the deceased was quite fit to make a will. The next question was whether the will was duly executed. He held it was a valid will and admitted it to probate.

Defendant was allowed eighteen guineas costs out of the estate.

R.M.'S STERN WORDS.

£40 FINE ON BELFAST MONEYLENDER.

STYLES HIM A "MENACE."

BAIL FIXED FOR APPEAL PURPOSES.

"Gentlemen like you are a blot on the body politic—a menace and a danger to decent people who get into your toils. I ought to send you to prison, but having knowledge of your ill-health I will not. I impose the maximum fine the law allows—£20 on each summons."

With these words, Mr. J. H. Campbell, R.M., dealt with Moses Hermon, a licensed moneylender of High Street, Belfast, who appeared before him at the Belfast Summons Court on two summonses for keeping in his possession as a pledge or security an official document —an R.I.C. widow's pension voucher.

Outlining the case, Dr. J. S. V. Mills said that a Mrs. Cowan had approached the defendant for a loan in March, 1937. She told him that she was a widow and that she had a pension of £30 a year and showed him three vouchers payable on the first of each month. He advanced her £5 and she signed the vouchers, having first gone to the bank and made the necessary declaration, which had to be made at the beginning of the financial year.

In June she got a further loan and gave vouchers for nine months signed in advance. She had further loans from defendant, paying 10s in the £ interest.

Mrs. Cowan remarried in September, 1937, and did not notify the authorities or Mr. Hermon. As a result of defendant's continuing to cash the vouchers after she was married, she had been prosecuted and fined. Mr. Hermon's alleged offence had been discovered.

Mrs. Cowan gave evidence of her loans from Mr. Hermon, and said that she gave him nine vouchers signed in advance.

John Ingram gave evidence of the vouchers being lodged to Hermon's account at the Bank of Ireland.

HEAD-CONSTABLE AND A VISIT.

Head-Constable Armstrong told of visiting Hermon and questioning him about his transactions with Mrs. Cowan. Hermon at first said "I don't know the woman I never saw her." He showed defendant the vouchers and Hermon said, "The woman paid off a loan and was given credit on the 1st or 2nd of each month."

Hermon said he would not put anything in writing but would answer questions.

Hermon could give no explanation why he had signed Mrs. Cowan's repayment book showing two payments of £1 and £1 10s as credit of the £2 10s voucher.

Asked about the "papers" referred to in a letter to Mrs. Cowan defendant said that the word "papers" was in connection with insurance.

In evidence, Hermon denied that he ever got any vouchers in advance. Mrs. Cowan, he said, came into his office on the first of each month with a voucher which she signed and which he cashed. The "papers" mentioned in the letter to Mrs. Cowan referred to a legacy which she was expecting.

Dr. Mills—Did you charge 10s in the £ interest?—No, about 6s in the £.

Mr. J. H. Campbell, R.M.—The risk was big.

Robert M'Nally, an employe of Hermon, said he had seen Mrs. Cowan coming into the office with vouchers at the beginning of each month.

THE COURT'S DECISION.

Giving his decision, Mr. Campbell said this was a most important prosecution from the viewpoint of the public and it was also most important so far as the proper administration of the law dealing with this class of offence. He had listened very carefully because it was a serious case and he was satisfied that the offences were proved up to the hilt.

It was perfectly obvious to him at least that Hermon had not acted in mistake or ignorance of the law. The fact that he had denied knowing the woman showed that he knew that the transaction was wrong

According to Hermon, everyone in this case was telling lies except himself. From the facts as sworn and on his own deductions he was satisfied that the only person telling lies was Moses Hermon.

"I have only one real regret," said Mr. Campbell, "and that is that this case could not be brought under the Moneylenders Act of 1933 which would have given me power, which I would have used, to suspend his moneylending activities for a considerable time by suspending his certificate.

"As it is, I have fairly wide powers under this Act—the Criminal Justice Act."

"What age is your client?" Mr. Campbell asked Mr. I. M'Cracken (instructed by Mr. F. A. Sloss) for the defence.

Hermon replied that he was 67 and added that he had been in failing health for some time.

"There will be no interest," said Mr. Campbell, announcing the fine.

Bail was fixed for the purpose of appeal.

FLAG AND ANTHEM IN SOUTH AFRICA.

BITTER CONTROVERSY.

HECKLING OF HERTZOG.

CAPETOWN, Friday.—A number of questions were asked in the Union Assembly here to-day regarding the playing of "God save the King" and flying the Union Jack at Union Day parades.

General Hertzog, the Prime Minister, said he had received resolutions from public meetings in many parts of the country, but had not replied, because those responsible could not have meant them to be taken seriously.

General Hertzog admitted that the statement that there was no official National Anthem was issued on the authority of the Government.

Asked by whose authority "God save the King" ceased to be the Union's National Anthem he replied that he must ask the member to consult his legal adviser.—Exchange.

WAS SWEPT OUT TO SEA

IN PRESENCE OF WIFE AND CHILDREN

In the presence of his wife and four children Mr. Sidney Davies (42), of Carmarthen, was drowned while bathing at Tenby, Pembrokeshire.

With several other bathers he got into difficulties in rough seas.

One who attempted to go to the help of Mr. Davies was brought ashore by a lifeline, but Mr. Davies was swept away.

He was visiting Tenby with a Sunday school party.

REAR-ADMIRAL SUETER, M.P.

NOT TO SEEK RE-ELECTION.

Rear-Admiral Sir Murray Sueter, who has been Conservative M.P. for the Hertford Division for the last 17 years, has intimated to his constituents that he will not be seeking re-election at the next General Election.

In a letter Sir Murray Sueter, who is 66, says that after 50 years service in the Royal Navy and Parliament he feels the time has arrived when he should make room for a younger man.

Sir Murray added, "Should a national emergency unfortunately arise before the next General Election the Association should agree to the cancellation of his letter.'

FOUND DEAD IN ENNISKILLEN.

David M'Veigh, a middle-aged man who resided in Dame Street, Enniskillen, was found dead yesterday at the rear of the Electricity Board's premises in the town. He had been in indifferent health for some time past.

AFTER 12 MONTHS

PYLON II. COMES TO THE FRONT

IN CHESTERFIELD CUP.

THE FAVOURITE RUNS BADLY.

Pylon II., second to Finalist in the Chesterfield Cup last year, won the race yesterday, and thus followed the example of Harmachis, the Stewards' Cup runner-up 12 months ago, and winner on Tuesday, writes "Hotspur," the "Daily Telegraph" racing correspondent. Pylon II. was well fancied, although it was not easy to see how he could beat Spot Barred on their Ascot running in the Bessborough Stakes. Halcyon Gift, as usual, dashed off in front, but was quickly joined by Noble King, who had the lead after half a mile.

Pylon II. improved his position on the bend approaching the straight, where Heavy Weight was badly placed. Pylon II. went on to deprive Noble King of the lead, and stayed on well to resist the challenge of Heavy Weight by a neck. I think Heavy Weight would have won if he not been left with so much to do in the last quarter of a mile.

Intolerance was third, and then came J'Accours, Spot Barred, and Battle Song, but I never saw the favourite, Domaha, in the race with any kind of a chance. Pike Barn was prominent for a long way, but did not stay home. Magnet had too much to do at the weights.

GUNBOAT BEATEN AGAIN.

Gunboat, with Gordon Richards up, made a valiant attempt to win the Chichester Stakes for the second year in succession, but found one just too good for him in Love Dancer. Real Estate started a hot favourite, but failed to stay the last furlong, and was beaten into third place.

The draw here undoubtedly plays an important part on the sprint course, but Love Dancer and Gunboat were in the unfavourable positions of one and two.

When Gunboat had overcome Real Estate it looked any odds on his winning, but Richardson brought Love Dancer with a late run on the outside and got up in the last couple of strides to win by a short head. Love Dancer had been unlucky to be beaten by Luminous Star at Liverpool last week through losing lengths at the start.

The winner is trained at Marborough by Captain Laye, who does extremely well with a comparatively small string.

Most of the betting on the Gordon Stakes concerned Radiant and Dubonnet, but several knowledgeable people backed Valedictory. Mr. Jock Whitney's colt had been narrowly beaten by St. Patrick's Day at Liverpool last week, and, as he claimed all the allowances yesterday, I thought he would win.

PAT BEASLEY'S URGE.

The early running was made by Flyon, but when the small field reappeared from behind the hill Slip On was just in front of Valedictory, with Dubonnet most prominent of the others. Once in a line for home Radiant moved up to challenge Valedictory and the two drew out with the race between them. Radiant once headed her rival, but Valedictory would not give in, and, responding wholeheartedly to the urging of Pat Beasley, came again to win a good race by a neck. Dubonnet was a moderate third.

The winner is trained by Boyd-Rochfort, who won the corresponding race twelve months ago with Perifox.

Valedictory looked in splendid trim in the paddock, but Radiant was sweating a lot. However, she went down to the start well enough. Miss Dorothy Paget paid 11,500 guineas for Radiant as a yearling, but the sister to Windsor Lad has earned only about an eighth of her purchase price, winning a couple of small races last season.

Those people—and there were plenty of them—who had the temerity to lay odds of 5 to 2 on Money Down in the Molecomb Stakes, had palpitations before the number of Mr. Strassburger's filly went into the frame. It was only very close home that she got up to beat Yakimour by a neck

RICHARDS' STRONG FINISH.

The Newmarket winner, Seaway, made the running on rails, with Snow White most prominent of the others. I have always maintained Snow White to be a short runner, and she proved the contention, once again passing out slowly but surely after covering four furlongs.

Money Down was badly placed coming down the hill, and when Yakimour took the lead from Seaway at the distance it did not seem possible that the favourite could catch her. However, one of the secrets of Gordon Richards' success is that he never knows when he is beaten and, riding one of his most powerful finishes, the champion got up to win a race that looked well and truly lost even less than a furlong from home.

Goosefeather, who had run very well at Salisbury, kept going long enough to keep Finesse out of third place, and I made favourable note of Scenery, a filly of Lord Astor's who was running for the first time.

The Aga Khan ran two in the Nassau Stakes, La-Li and Valedeh, La-Li having won at the second July meeting at Newmarket after having been narrowly beaten by Solar Flower at Ascot, started at 15—8 on. Valedeh, on the other hand, was a maiden and had few backers at 100—8. However, it was the outsider of the two that won in a terrific finish.

A REAL BATTLE.

Lady Noel set off in front of La-Li, but soon after entering the straight the three that were placed drew out with La-Li slightly in front of Ashtoreth and Valedeh challenging on the outside.

They fought out a real battle, and I was surprised when Valedeh's number went up as the winner, it seeming from the Press stand that La-Li had just held on.

Little Douglas Smith must be given credit for riding a fine finish on the winner.

Backers of favourites had another reverse when Morwell was beaten by Lydia in the Findon Stakes. Gordon Richards's mount was well backed, however, and the champion completed a double begun by Money Down. Letitia colt ran fast all the way, as befits a son of Sir Cosmo, and was only beaten a head for second place.

Lydia, who has only been unplaced once in six outings, belongs to Mr. Peter Beatty, the owner of the Derby winner, Bois Roussel. Salarrhodon ran best of the others, but finished some way behind the first three.

PENALTY OF TREACHERY.

FRENCH SUBJECT GETS 18 YEARS.

NANCY, Friday.—A court-martial sitting in camera in Nancy has sentenced two French subjects for espionage. One received 18 years' imprisonment with 20 years' banishment.

The other soldier received one year's imprisonment for a minor offence.—Exchange.

ALLAM'S WEEKLY PIG SALES.

Yesterday, Messrs. R. J. Allam, Ltd., held their weekly sale of fat sows and boars in the Oxford Mart, Belfast. The entry totalled 62 head.

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THE GARDENER'S CORNER

Advice In Selection Of Roses

By "THE MAN WITH THE HOE"

THIS has been an abnormal year in gardens. At the present time some apple trees are showing some flowers, and the large leafed Saxifragt of the Megasea section which sports its bright red flowers in February is in some places in bloom again.

Autumn sown sweetpeas have been a problem to most raisers. They are only now beginning to give a return for all the labour given to them. Fruit trees of all kinds have more or less suffered from the cold and drought of the spring, so there will be shortage of fruits and home-made preserves this winter.

Sweet William has been very fine this year, and at the present time where grown in a bed by itself is a mass of beautiful colour. It is a biennial variety which is usually grown, but there is an annual variety which blooms the first year when sown early in spring. It is stated that the biennial variety may be increased by cuttings placed in a cold frame, but whether this applies to its flowering year or next year is not mentioned. This might be worth trying.

For cut flowers Alstromeries are useful at present, and very lasting. Scabious is beautiful too, but fades rather soon. Spanish Broom is a good flower for indoor decoration. It has handsome yellow spikes of flower which last for a long time in vases. These are all in bloom at the present time.

THIS IS LILY TIME.

Madonna Lillies seen in a border looked very pure and imposing, and those who wish to grow a tall variety should get L. Henryi, which grows to a height of from six to ten feet. It has an orange yellow flower. Many others are also in bloom.

A bank covered with dwarf golden and scarlet gleam nasturtiums was seen. It was observed what an immense improvement they were on the old single nasturtiums which in many places look so commonplace as they spring up year after year without any attention—seeding themselves.

Lavender (Larandula vera) is now coming into bloom. Its fragrant purple spikes are always popular. This plant makes an attractive hedge especially in the kitchen garden, where it is used for a division of plots. The hedge will last for years if it receives proper attention. it always looks beautiful.

CURATIVE PERFUME.

The perfume of lavender is stated to be good for colds, and the custom of laying it amongst linen and clothes is well known.

"Here's flowers for you
Hot lavender mints, savory marjoram,
The marigold that goes to bed wi' the sun,
And with him rises weeping."
—Winter's Tale iv. 3.

Cotton Lavender, which is a little grey plant with small golden flowers, is also now in bloom. The French call it Guarde Robe as it was probably used for keeping off moths from furs and robes. It is also scented. Rosemary also makes a hedge.

A visit was made to the rose garden belonging to an eminent amateur recently, and amongst many beautiful roses here the following were noted as being exceptionally attractive:—Karen Polsen (single scarlet), Betty Uprichard, Lady Sylvia, Mrs. A. R. Barraclough, Golden Dawn, and Phyllis Gold.

A large bed of Irish Elegance was a beautiful sight as they were all in full bloom. To show the lasting quality of this rose the plants were over twenty years old and are still growing well.

COLOUR AND FRAGRANCE.

In choosing roses for one's garden there are three things one ought to note, i.e., good habit, brilliant colouring, and fragrance.

Several beautiful standard roses were seen on the verge of a lawn, one was Lady Forteviot, which has lovely foliage and its flower is of a rich apricot yellow colour, but, what was also noticeable here, were the bright plants in the bed round the bases of the roses. They were nemesias, violas, etc., which were used very effectively. Geraniums, lobelias, marigolds, tagetes, calceolarias, and antirrhinums give splendid colour in beds.

And there is still much to be said for the bedding out system for gay displays, especially in parks. Perennial borders give more variety but they wax and wane considerably.

In the kitchen garden lettuce should be sown. This should be done very thinly as they do not well stand transplanting in summer, so that thinning out has to be done.

"All the Year Round" has been found to be a good variety for present sowing. The seed may be sown alongside the celery trenches.

Rhubarb has now almost come to an end for using, so the plantation should be cleared of weeds in some places where they have grown rampant and should be left tidy. Coleworts which were sown some time ago have been transplanted and will be left until they are large enough for their final quarters.

It is now time to sow cabbage seed for Spring use.

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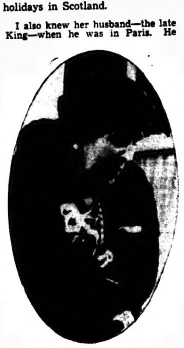
SATURDAY COMMENTARY BY LADY OXFORD AND ASQUITH

THE PASSING PAGEANT

I WAS sad to read of the death of the beautiful Queen Marie Alexandra Victoria of Roumania. I had known her for many years, especially in this country, for, although she invited us to stay with her in Roumania, we were never able to accept, because we always spent our holidays in Scotland.

I also knew her husband—the late King—when he was in Paris. He was a quiet, reserved man, and a great gentleman who commanded the respect of all who knew him. Both he and his lovely Queen showed much affection to my daughter, and to all the Bibesco family.



QUEEN MARIE OF ROUMANIA
—"Death mourned in many cities."

Queen Marie of Roumania was a woman of infinite charm, courage, and vitality, and her Autobiography is excellent reading. She wrote as she talked, with perfect, almost naive frankness, which makes every book readable.

The last time I met her when she was a guest at Cliveden. She often stayed with Lord and Lady Astor, to whom she was devoted. I can visualise her to-day sitting in a lovely long white tea-gown in the drawing-room at Cliveden, and telling us all about her youth, and the various members of our Royal Family.

INHERITED BEAUTY FROM FATHER

I told her that when I was a little girl I saw her handsome father—the Duke of Edinburgh, who succeeded to the Duchy of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha—walking in Princes Street.

I was having violin lessons at the time in Edinburgh, and well remember the crowd which collected in the street to see the Duke get into his carriage. I never saw her Russian mother, but I think Queen Marie must have got her lovely eyes and radiant beauty from her father, who was the best-looking of all Queen Victoria's children—though I think the Duke of Connaught had the best figure.

No one holds himself as well as the Duke of Connaught, and though he is an old man he is as erect as he ever was. When I was a fellow-guest of his, golfing in Scotland with the present Lord Wemyss's grandfather—many years ago—I asked the Duke how he managed to keep his figure, to which he replied: "I get up hungry from every meal, as I would not like to get fat and heavy when I grow old."

Queen Marie lived in an era of very great beauties, in Royal as well as private families. My Queen Alexandra, the Empress of Austria, the Grand Duchess of Serle and Russia, and her sister, the Czarina, were of outstanding beauty, and among the lovely London ladies there were Georgiana Lady Dudley, the Duchess of Leinster and her sister, Lady D'Abernon, the present Dowager Lady de Vesci, the late Lady Dalhousie, and the three famous London beauties of the day—Miss Langtry, Mrs. Wheeler, and Mrs. Cornwallis West—but among all the galaxy of good looks Queen Marie of Roumania held her own.

Why Foreigners Like Britain

She dressed in a conspicuous manner, which differentiated her wherever she went from every other person, and until I saw Queen Alexandra I thought her far the most beautiful being that I had ever seen.

DOWNING STREET MEMORY

IN spite of everyone staring at her, she was never the least self-conscious, and although surrounded by male and female adorers, she preserved the sincerity and simplicity of her happy nature. She took an active interest in everything, and when she came to see us in 10 Downing Street she insisted on my showing her all over the house, the Cabinet room, and the garden.

She was always gay and good-humoured, and although I did not know her sufficiently well to express an opinion, I doubt if she ever lost her gaiety or her temper. I shall always treasure the beautiful photograph she sent me of herself after she visited me and my husband in Downing Street.

On my return from a lovely week-end with my old friend, Lord Burnham, with whom hunted from Melton for 20 years, my daughter (Princess Antoine Bibesco) and I went to the memorial service for Queen Marie in the Greek Cathedral of Santa Sophia.

As a rule memorial services in Greek churches are endlessly long, but it was not so this week. It was short and impressive, and was well attended. All our foreign Ambassadors and minor members of the Corps Diplomatique were there with ribbons, decorations, stars, and medals, etc., and I could not help thinking that, if those who leave us know what is happening in the world below, the beautiful Marie of Roumania would have been gratified that her death was mourned in so many cities.

THE ROYAL VISIT TO FRANCE

ON leaving the Cathedral my daughter had a conversation with the French Ambassador. M. Corbin is the best-looking Ambassador that I have ever seen who represented his country at the Court of St. James's, and when he arrives—usually late—for any important ceremony every eye is upon him. Not that he courts publicity; on the contrary, he dislikes it, but with an appearance as distinguished as his he cannot avoid it.

He had just returned from France, and told Elizabeth that no newspaper here, describing the reception of our King and Queen in Paris, had exaggerated the enormous success of their Majesties' visit.

He said that the Queen's simplicity, lovely, welcoming smile, and interest in everything she saw, had won the hearts of the French, and that the King's speeches in French—never easy for any Englishman—had been received with acclamation.

Family life in France is famous, and I do not know a more homely and devoted family than our King, Queen, and their little Princesses. From all accounts, in spite of the King's indisposition, he was not over-fatigued. The truth is that everyone who is human enjoys demonstrations of spontaneous affection, and no plans, however perfectly organised, can take the place of loyalty and love.

The events of the past historical week, when the whole French nation received the King and Queen with such grandeur, splendour, and enthusiasm, have been described and dwelt upon at length by competent onlookers, and have diminished the importance of anything which I could write.

EXODUS AFTER THE SEASON

THE expression which you hear, "The winding-up of the London season," never seems to me a very appropriate one. "Winding-up" implies going on, whereas most of the seasonites are going off.

I never understand people who say that they love spending August in London, as they prefer to be there when it is empty. I confess I want to get away from London whenever I can, and had anyone told me that I could have spent my hoidays anywhere except in Scotland, I would have laughed at them.

There is no real holiday for me anywhere but in Scotland. Those who tell me that this is merely sentiment are wrong. Is there a more lovely country in the whole world than Scotland?

I purposely say "country," as there are towns of greater beauty in Italy, Germany, Spain, France and Greece. But for sheer beauty of loch, and moor, heather, bracken, and birch, and even the black bogs of the Border country, there is nothing abroad which can compare in colour and variety to the country in which I was born.

I asked some of my guests at lunch—among whom there were several foreigners—what country they would prefer to live in if they were given the choice. It was a foolish question, but the company were not contributing much to the conversation, and I feared that my last luncheon would be a failure.

LIVING WITHOUT FEAR

WITH one accord they all said "Yours," and added: "This is the only country in the world where you can do what you like, and live without fear." I thought of King George's wonderful speech delivered in his Silver Jubilee under the rafters of Westminster Hall.

It seems sad to think that any civilised people should live in fear, as I cannot imagine being afraid of anything unless you are at war, and what nation wants war? What the peoples of the world pine for to-day is Peace, and if the Autumn holidays do nothing else for us they will bring, if not public, at any rate private Peace.

(Photo: Lafayette)

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT
—"told his secret of keeping slim."

I am an optimist in politics, and believe if every nation could combine, and realise the barbarity, stupidity, and futility of fighting, there would never be another war.

ADVANCE ON EBRO HALTED.

STIFFER RESISTANCE BY THE INSURGENT TROOPS.

PREPARING A COUNTER-ATTACK.

Reports from the Ebro front indicate a stiffening of insurgent resistance everywhere. Though some gains were made on Friday by the Government, the advance has been considerably slower.

An insurgent counter-offensive may be foreshadowed by the activity of their aircraft.

Faset, a large town on the east side of the Ebro and an important Government communication centre, was bombed four times and practically razed to the ground. The 'planes went over in squadrons of 10 and dropped 200 or more bombs each time.

The victims, though still unnumbered, were especially heavy, for although Faset has long been near the centre of operations in this sector, the majority of civilians have gone on living there.

Numerous insurgent prisoners are said to have been killed. A bomb fell on the building in which they had sought refuge.

The first Government wounded began to arrive at base hospitals on Thursday night. Returning from the Ebro I saw ambulances and waiting hospital trains with steam up at many points. Many of the wounded have arrived at hospitals near Barcelona, says the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post" correspondent. Some are English and American volunteers. I understand that deaths have been relatively few.

PREPARING SMASHING BLOW.

During the four days since they crossed the Ebro, Government troops have penetrated no further into insurgent territory. Franco's forces have secured a new line and are now preparing to strike a smashing blow. The Government troops are in a perilous position, having a wide river at their backs.

General Franco is sending his crack airmen to wreck Government bridges and harry their congested lines of communication on the other side of the river.

While the Ebro valley diversion has slowed down operations on the Valencia front, insurgent Southern forces are continuing their drive in Estremadura. Their front line is now only 35 miles from the rich mercury mines at Almaden.

ARTISTS' AND AUTHORS' PETITION.

A petition expressing "horror at the continued bombardment of open towns in Spain" was handed in at 10 Downing Street by Mr. Lewis Casson, the actor; Sir Edmund Dulac, the artist; Mr. Jacob Epstein, the sculptor; Mr. John Goss, the singer; and Miss Beatrix Lehmann, the actress, representing over 700 of their colleagues.

The petition requested the British Government to take whatever steps might be necessary to restore to the Spanish Government the right to equip itself with defensive arms, in particular anti-aircraft guns.

The signatories included Mr. Augustus John, Mr. H. G. Wells, Sir John Lavery, Mr. Eric Linklater, Mr. Henry W. Nevinson, Mr. Sean O'Casey, Mr. Liam O'Flaherty, and Mr. J. B. Priestley.

GOING BACK TO SPAIN.

Sir Robert Hodgson, British Agent in Burgos, is returning to Burgos to-day, taking with him instructions to enable him to settle with General Franco's administration final details for the Commission which is to consider the question of the bombing of British ships.

ORDEAL FOR ULSTER YACHTSMAN

AND LIFEBOATMEN OFF DONAGHADEE COAST.

HOLIDAY CROWD CHEERS CREW.

Mr. J. C. M'Cleery, 328 Antrim Road, Belfast, had an exciting time yesterday when he went out yachting from Donaghadee, the local lifeboat being out three hours in search of him.

Mr. M'Cleery left Donaghadee about 11 o'clock yesterday morning for a day's fishing. When darkness fell he had not returned and the officials at the Donaghadee Harbour became anxious about his welfare and sent out the lifeboat.

In the meantime Mr. M'Cleery had landed at Portmuck, taken a taxi from there and arrived home. He immediately 'phoned the Donaghadee police and informed them of his return.

It appears that shortly after leaving Donaghadee Harbour Mr. M'Cleery became fogbound and decided that it was too dangerous to attempt to land on the Co. Down coast. He made for Whitehead but again the fog was too dense for him to be able to discern the land and he continued to Portmuck, where he was able to get into the harbour.

CHEER FOR LIFEBOAT CREW.

On receiving news that Mr. M'Cleery was safe the Donaghadee Harbour officials attempted to recall the lifeboat and were unable to do so and eventually had the Portpatrick wireless station call it. Two hours later the lifeboat was given the recall signal and returned to Donaghadee, where the crew were given a great reception at one o'clock in the morning by the crowd waiting for their return.

The lifeboat had circled the Copelands twice and then gone five miles north of the islands and also searched the entrance of the Lough without success.

Mr. M'Cleery is well known in Donaghadee where he has resided during the summer months as far back at 1910.

He is a yachtsman of no mean experience and keen fisherman. His yacht, Pirate, is one of the "Waverley" class.

A FAMILY'S ANXIETY.

Mr. Bob Simpson, who has tied up Mr. M'Cleery's boats for many years, had seen Mr. M'Cleery leave and was the first to become apprehensive. He motored to Groomsport, Ballyholme, and Bangor, and sent his son, John, out in the Morning Star, while Mrs. Simpson went to Belfast to make inquiries at Mr. M'Cleery's home.

Speaking of the lifeboat's journey, Mr. Simpson said that while the seas were heavy for a yacht the lifeboat encountered conditions much as usual, and had it not been for his anxiety for Mr. M'Cleery he would have enjoyed the trip.

KILLED AFTER HUNT OF 20 YEARS.

BRAZIL'S CHIEF BANDIT.

HIS METHODS WITH VICTIMS.

MUTILATION AND BRANDING.

Brazil's most notorious bandit, the one-eyed "Lampeao" (lamppost) has at last been cornered and killed, states the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post" New York correspondent. For more than 20 years he had defied all attempts to bring him to book for his record of atrocities. Tall, thin, and bespectacled, gaudily dressed and heavily perfumed, "Lampeao" earned the reputation of being fastidiously polite to his victims.

Some of these he forced to dance before cutting off their ears and toes. He slit the tongues of garrulous women and branded his initials on young girls.

Seven years ago the Brazilian Government sent against him an expedition of 200 troops with planes and machine-guns. The chase was finally abandoned after £6,000 had been spent on it.

"Lampeao" continued his reign of terror throughout the north-eastern regions of Brazil, moving from one hiding-place to another, always surrounded by a band of ruffians, troupes of women, and swarms of children.

On Friday he fought his last battle with the police. With a dozen of his men and two women he was brought to bay near Maceio. The whole gang was wiped out.

"Lampeao" was 38. His real name was Virgolino Ferreira da Silva.

COAL VALUATION BOARD.

LORD READING CHAIRMAN.

The Secretary for Mines announces that the Marquis of Reading, K.C., has been appointed chairman of the Central Valuation Board under the Coal Act, 1938.

MEMBERS OF COMMISSION.

The Secretary for Mines announces that the following have been appointed members of the Coal Commission under the provisions of the Coal Act:—

Sir Ernest Arthur Gowers (chairman), Mr. George Ponsonby Hyslop (Deputy-chairman), Mr. William Melville Cordington, M.C., Sir John Felix Clewitt Pole.

The fifth member of the Commission will be Mr. Joseph Jones, C.B.E., LL.D.

UNEMPLOYMENT IN EIRE.

The total registered unemployed in Eire for the week ending July 25 is officially stated to be 68,320, as compared with 70,023 for the previous week.

MONAGHAN NURSE'S SUCCESS.

At the recent examinations held under the auspices of the General Nursing Council for England and Wales in Bristol University, Miss Madaline M'Mahon, daughter of Mr. David M'Mahon, Aughnamullen, Ballybay, obtained her certificate as State Registered Nurse.

She is a nursing sister in the Fishponds Mental Hospital, Bristol. At her previous preliminary examinations she obtained a silver medal from the Psychological Association of Great Britain and Ireland.

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POLICE GUARD FOR ALPINE PLANTS.

£4 PENALTY IN WAITING

FOR WANTON DESTRUCTION.

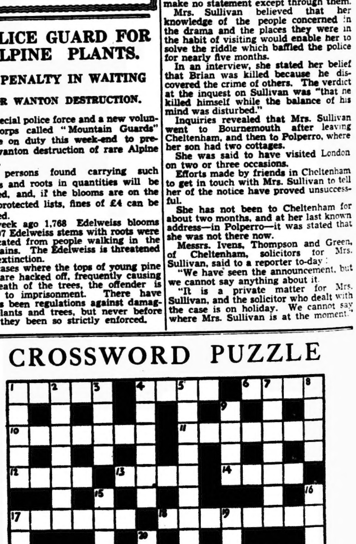
A special police force and a new volunteer corps called "Mountain Guards" will be on duty this week-end to prevent wanton destruction of rare Alpine plants.

All persons found carrying such flowers and roots in quantities will be arrested, and, if the blooms are on the State-protected lists, fines of £4 can be imposed.

A week ago 1,768 Edelweiss blooms and 107 Edelweiss stems with roots were confiscated from people walking in the mountains. The Edelweiss is threatened with extinction.

In cases where the tops of young pine trees are hacked off, frequently causing the death of the trees, the offender is liable to imprisonment. There have always been regulations against damaging plants and trees, but never before have they been so strictly enforced.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



CLUES ACROSS.

1. Favourite pastime
4. Large.
6. Increase.
10. Pupil.
11. Protracted.
12. Relax.
13. Achievement.
14. Require.
17. Cherish.
18. Church dignitaries
21. Suavity.
23. Bestows.
26. Separate.
28. Give out.
29. Harm.
33. Conjectures.
34. More lucid.
35. Twilight.
36. Unoccupied.
37. Under.

CLUES DOWN.

1. Speed.
2. Injunctions
3. Cry.
4. Scamp.
5. Wholesome
7. Withdraw
8. Methods
9. Soon.
15. Paltry.
16. Purposes.
17 Vendetta
19 Entice.
20. Empha
22 Porters
24 Impartia
25 Ring
27 Throw
30 Flung.
31. Old.
32. Plant

SOLUTION TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE.

ACROSS: 1, Acquire; 9, Affluent; 10, Pleats; 11, Onus; 13, Doubt; 14, Isle; [illegible] Stag; 17, Appear; 19, Safe; 21, Robe; 23, Tyro; 27, Puny; 28, Sonnet; 30, Dire; [illegible] Oars; 33, Outer; 35, Deem; 36, Occupy; 37, Troubles; 38, Degrade.

DOWN: 2, Colossal; 3, Usage; 4, Resort; 5, Efts; 6, Plod; 7, Refute; 8, Stature; 12, Urge; 15, Vary; 18, Prop; 20, Erin; 22, Bite; 24, Intrepid; 25, Escorts; 26, Adze; 29, [illegible] 31, Remote; 32, Occur; 34, Ruby; 35, Dues.

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MOTHER'S MISSION TO CLEAR SON.

APPEAL FOR MRS. SULLIVAN.

MAY "HELP HER IN HER QUEST."

"Sullivan"—Will Mrs. Sullivan, late of Tower Lodge, Cheltenham, please communicate with me, as I may be able to help her in her quest."

To-day this advertisement under a box number appears in the agony column of a London newspaper and focusses attention on a mother's mission to clear the name of her son.

Mrs. Sullivan's son Brian was a principal in the Cheltenham torso mystery.

His name was mentioned frequently during the inquest on the torso of a man believed at one time to be that of Captain William Bernard Butt, a 52-year-old retired Army officer and friend of Sullivan, but the jury did not implicate him.

On April 5 an open verdict was returned on the torso which was found in the River Severn, near Haw Bridge, in January. A few days after, Sullivan was found gassed in bed at Tower Lodge. Sullivan was also known as Barrie Byron Smith, of Polperro, Cornwall, and had earned a reputation as a dancer. In June it was announced that Mrs. Sullivan had left Cheltenham. After Brian's death she went to live with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Alcock, in Old Bath Road, Cheltenham.

Mrs. Sullivan protested on several occasions against what she considered implied accusations throughout the police investigations.

Her solicitors stated that they could not reveal her whereabouts and could not discuss the progress of her personal inquiries into the torso mystery without her specific authorisation.

They added that Mrs. Sullivan would make no statement except through them.

Mrs. Sullivan believed that her knowledge of the people concerned in the drama and the places they were in the habit of visiting would enable her to solve the riddle which baffled the police for nearly five months.

In an interview, she stated her belief that Brian was killed because he discovered the crime of others. The verdict at the inquest on Sullivan was "that he killed himself while the balance of his mind was disturbed."

Inquiries revealed that Mrs. Sullivan went to Bournemouth after leaving Cheltenham, and then to Polperro, where her son had two cottages.

She was said to have visited London on two or three occasions.

Efforts made by friends in Cheltenham to get in touch with Mrs. Sullivan to tell her of the notice have proved unsuccessful.

She has not been to Cheltenham for about two months, and at her last known address—in Polperro—it was stated that she was not there now.

Messrs. Ivens, Thompson and Green, of Cheltenham, solicitors for Mrs. Sullivan, said to a reporter to-day:

"We have seen the announcement, but we cannot say anything about it.

"It is a private matter for Mrs. Sullivan, and the solicitor who dealt with the case is on holiday. We cannot say where Mrs. Sullivan is at the moment."

LINEN TRADE REVIEW

U.S. Talks Reported "At A Standstill"

Protracted Negotiations — Likely To Be Prolonged Afresh — Current Tariff Rates Prohibitive — New Arguments And Some That Are Forgotten—Another Quiet Week In Bedford Street—Flax Market Outlook.

(From a Special Correspondent).

It has been another quiet week in Bedford Street. Manufacturers and cloth agents found a host of small orders awaiting them on their return from holidays. While few, if any, requisitions were of noteworthy size, they covered a wide range of goods, and reached a respectable total. This factor, [illegible] with the remarkable firmness [illegible] hardening tendency of raw material induced several manufacturers to [illegible] yarn market and cover for [illegible] needs.

Spinners, while maintaining that yarn [illegible] still far from economic, report [illegible] and are holding out for better [illegible] the finer ranges of line wefts [illegible] spins. Most of the few Ulster [illegible] factories, which stopped for "the Twelfth" and have not yet re-[illegible] will re-open in Monday.

[illegible] our Scotch linen rivals were [illegible] this week, and those in the D[illegible] [illegible] districts will go on vacation [illegible]

[illegible] Flax Values — Fourth [illegible] Slanetz, £86 — £87, basis 1. [illegible] Tow No. 8, £67—£68; Latvian [illegible] R. £69½—£70½; Werro-Petschory Halves basis R, £69—£70; [illegible] group 1, basis R, £60—£61. All per ton, c.i.f. United Kingdom. Nominal values in Ulster of machine-scutched, water-retted tows, medium quality, are as follows:—Courtrai, £63 (roughing), £67 (No. 1), £71 (No. 2), and £75 (Nos. 3 and 4); Irish, £56 (roughing), £59 (No. 1.), £62 (No. 2), and £65 (No. 3 and 4); Baltic, £52 (roughing), £54 (No. 1.), £56 (No. 2), and £58 (Nos. 3 and 4.). All per ton.

Nominal Irish Linen Yarn Values:—Sheer warps, 90's to 110's 7s 4½d per bundle; 150's 8s 6d per bundle. Cambric warps—75's to 85's 7s 4½d per bundle; 100's 7s 9d per bundle. Tow wefts—12's 15s 6d per bundle; 14's 13s 3d; 16's 12s 6d; 18's 11s 6d; 25's 10s, and 40's 7s 6d per bundle. Line wefts—40's 8s 9d per bundle; 50's 7s 9d; 80's to 130's, 6s 9d per bundle; 140's 6s 10½d, and 150's 7s 1½d per bundle. All per bundle of 60,000 yards of grey yarn, average quality, subject to usual trade discounts.

Nominal Scottish Dryspun Linen Yarn Values:—Tow weft, 3lb., 2s 11d per spindle; 3½lb., 3s 2d per spindle; 4lb., 3s 5d per spindle Tow warp, 3½lb., 3s 7d per spindle; 4lb., 3s 10d; 5lb., 4s 6d; 2½lb., 3s 5d, and 3lb., 3s 11d per spindle. Flax warp, 4lb. to 5lb., 1s 3d per lb.; 2½lb. flax, 3-ply, 1s 8d per lb.; 2½lb., 3-ply, 1s 6d per lb. Under the Scotch system of yarn numbering, the yarn number indicates the weight of a spindle or spangle of 48 cuts, or 14,400 yards.

Lancashire Cotton Market.

On the whole, it has been a fair week for Brazilian and for Egyptian cotton, although in the last few days interest has rather diminished; there is nothing special to write about the other qualities. "Spot" prices remain firm, and show a distinct advance on the week, which is most noticeable in Giza 7. The hardening tendency has been fairly regular, but was most marked on Monday. In "Futures" the tendency is for current month to be slightly stronger than for more distant dates.

There is a general air of lifelessness in the Lancashire cotton market, states Sir Jacob Behrens & Sons, but individual spinners continue to pick up orders, although buying is by no means general. Mills are living on their order books, and it would appear that these have been replenished far more than appeared to be the case during the last few weeks.

In sympathy with cotton, cloth prices keep steady, and there is very little change in the position. Although general inquiry is certainly broadening, actual bookings are disappointingly small. With the exception of China, the Eastern markets are sending forward a fair amount of inquiries. Offers for bulk business are priced too low to admit of any real chance of business resulting; in fact it is a common complaint that there is a good deal too much price-testing and too little in the way of practicable offers. In such a market it is hard to make progress, and we can only confirm what we wrote last week that the market is not without possibilities, were greater confidence shown. Demand in the home trade and on the Continent is spasmodic and not very encouraging, and the market seems to show more semblance of activity than actual bookings warrant.

Continental Flax Prospects.

The main feature of the Continental flax markets is scarcity of grades favoured by Ulster spinners, and of prices which are firm or advancing. The Latvian Government has disposed of the 2,000 tons which it had available, and German spinners are now negotiating actively in the Lithuanian market. Harvesting of the new crop in many Continental flax centres has been performed under unfavourable weather conditions, and it is believed that quality and yield will suffer in many districts. According to a French contemporary, the recent heavy rains have hampered mechanical pulling of the new flax crop in France, and some of the harvesters have been forced to switch over to hand pulling.

The Soviet flax monopoly continues to discourage would-be buyers by quoting prohibitive prices. It is quite obvious that the U.S.S.R. cannot be relied upon much longer as a source of raw material. She is openly building up her own linen industry, and considers that the best method to achieve success in this undertaking is to starve the foreign flax spinners by withholding raw material or increase their costs by charging prohibitive rates for any flax or tow which she does sell. The Soviets have a huge flax area, but their yield is very disappointing. They obtain less fibre per acre than any other country. The Soviets are now trying to improve the quality of their flax by reducing the area and by more careful handling. This year the Soviet flax area is believed to be 1,830,000 hectares (4,575,000 acres) as against 2,180,000 hectares (5,450,000 acres) last year.

No definite statistics are available as yet regarding flax areas elsewhere on the Continent. It is believed, however, that the Dutch flax area will be 20,000 hectares (50,000 acres), as against 17,500 hectares (43,750 acres) in 1937. Italy is said to have 27,000 acres under flax this year and Czecho-Slovakia 47,000 acres. The Polish flax area is stated to be [illegible] larger than that of last year, but [illegible] is actively building up its own [illegible] industry and there will be comparatively little fibre available for export. In Latvia flax sowings were slightly [illegible] than last year; in Lithuania there [illegible] shrinkage of around 10 per cent. [illegible] Estonia a decline of around 30 [illegible]

Moroccan Experiment.

[illegible] flax producers are following [illegible] Ulster flax-growing experiment [illegible] interest, as they have a very [illegible] respect for Ulster flax engi[illegible] and manufacturing genius. It [illegible] that France is following [illegible] and in addition to the efforts [illegible] stimulate flax production at [illegible] is endeavouring to build up [illegible] industry in Morocco on [illegible] which are being adopted in [illegible] Recently a huge rettery and [illegible] was erected in the Moroccan [illegible] of Casablanca. The flax area [illegible] this year is expected to be 37,000 hectares (92,500 acres) as against 29,000 hectares (72,500 acres) in 1937.

This season Ulster flax brairded irregularly during the drought, and growth was slow until the arrival of moister weather. Growth has been considerable, however, during June and July, and in most districts the present condition of the crop is very favourable. During the next fortnight, as forecast in our last report, the Northern Ireland Ministry of Agriculture will stage demonstrations of mechanical flax pulling in Ballymena, Limavady, Claudy, Newtownstewart, Dromara, and Dervock, on the dates advertised in the "Belfast Telegraph" this week. Some of these trials will be supervised by Mr. Maurice Soenens, inventor of this pulling machine, who will arrive in Belfast on August 4 and leave for Canada on August 10.

American Linen Outlook.

For months Ulster linen men have been on the rack due to the protracted negotiations for a reciprocal trade agreement between the United Kingdom and the United States. Linen, it is believed, is bound to occupy an important place in such agreement, and American linen buyers have restricted their purchases accordingly within recent months. This week we learned with regret from a reliable source that the Anglo-American trade talks have reached "a standstill on several major categories of goods on which the United States Government is unable to make further concessions." Ths visible balance of trade between the U.S.A. and the United Kingdom is at present very much in favour of our American cousins. We are buying between twice and three times as much from the States as they are buying from us, although the U.S.A. merchandise balance with the rest of the world is unfavourable.

American domestic textile industries were represented by powerful lobbies in the hearings before the Inter-Departmental Committee on Reciprocity Information which preceded the "talks." Any tariff changes, other than upward, give American textile manufacturers the jitters. It must be borne in mind, of course, that approximately 23 out of every 100 workers in American manufacturing industries are employed in some branch of the textile trades. Some American textile critics of the agreement allege that any concession in rates to British goods "will wipe out their business." Absurd, of course, for in the case of cotton goods during the ten years 1928-1937 the United States annual exports averaged 5½ square yards of cotton cloth for every yard imported. Spasmodic attempts have been made in the States to manufacture linen, but these have largely failed heretofore due mainly to labour difficulties. The few existing concerns specialise in linen thread production; coarse towels and towellings, flax twine and flax fishing lines, and the finer yarns used are imported largely from Ireland. A report has just come to hand that Pacific Linen Mills, Vancouver, Washington, were burned down on July 12. Managed by an Ulsterman, this was an important flax spinning mill in the States.

Wage Differences.

Time was when the chief argument of American high-protectionists was the building up of "infant industries." Now it is mainly wage differentials, though the U.S.A. textile manufacturing industries are poor payers in that country of high costs of living. The cotton goods industry, the largest employer of American textile labour, although at the bottom of the list in hourly wage rates in the U.S.A., enforced a wages cut of 12½ per cent. some months ago. American textile leaders, who oppose the agreement, talk as if the intention of the United States Government was to destroy American industry for the benefit of foreign producers. Little is said of the United Kingdom being the best foreign customer of the United States, with a heavy balance of trade against us, or how exports are to be paid for if imports are too heavily penalised or of the changed status of the United States as a creditor nation.

It is certain that the current U.S.A. linen tariff rates are far to high. Take handkerchiefs, for example, on which the U.S.A. import duties now range from 35 per cent. for unhemmed to 75 per cent. and even 90 per cent. ad valorem for embroidered and lace-edged handkerchiefs. That such rates are prohibitive is proved by the fact that the yearly value around £220,000 of shipments prior to the 1922 tariff declined to £92,477 in 1934 and to £78,841 in 1937. U.K. handkerchief exports to the United States totalled only £9,928 in the first six months of this year as against £38,410 in the same period of 1937, while linen piece goods' shipments shrank from £993,863 in the first six months of last year to £352,948 this year. Another noteworthy point is that the U.S. tariffs on linens, being on an ad valorem basis, bear more heavily on our expensive goods, as compared with foreign linens. For example, an Ulster linen cloth, invoiced at, say, 15s and paying 50 per cent. duty, is raised to 22s 6d, while a competing foreign cloth invoiced at 10s, is raised to 15s, so that the original difference in invoice value, viz., 5s, is raised to 7s 6d after duty has been paid. Whatever the result of the Anglo-American trade talks, it is certain that the Ulster linen industry put up an unanswerable case for lower linen tariffs, the brief being prepared by leading members of the industry.

"Regardless of Origin."

At a recent meeting of the U.S.A. Linen Trade Association it was decided to inaugurate "a sustained promotional advertising campaign on behalf of linen." Chairman Herbert P. Swann said that linen was the only important textile that was not advertised in the U.S.A. "It is planned," he said, "to promote the general use of all flax products *regardless of origin* through carefully created publicity designed to build linen prestige. Paris couture sponsorship will be sought, and display and advertising specially prepared to throw the spotlight of publicity on linen."

A member of the U.S.A. Linen Trade Association, who visited Belfast a few days ago, is reported to have said that linen for women's dresses is very rapidly declining in favour of artificial silk and other fabrics in the American market. "American importers," according to this authority, "are so perturbed by their inability to dispose of linen fabrics, which are being ousted by other products, that they have met and frankly discussed the situation. They look to the Ulster linen industry to co-operate in their advertising campaign."

It is opportune to recall that in 1926 the Irish and Scottish linen industries co-operated to wage a very big linen advertising campaign in the United States and Canada. This lasted some three years, and cost the trade hundreds of thousands of dollars.

In short, it was a magnificent effort, and it definitely helped to increase linen consumption temporarily in the United States, but at what a cost to the promoters! An unforeseen development was the way in which our Continental linen trade rivals took advantage of this Transatlantic linen campaign, to the cost of which they had not contributed a farthing. They were delighted by our enterprise, and profited by it mightily owing to lower wages and overheads, which enabled them to cut prices, and thus secure business which we had developed.

The Irish Linen Guild, which celebrates its tenth birthday this year, is a really good proposition as it is operating in the comparatively protected home market. In the U.S.A., however, we are up against intensive competition from cheap Czecho-Slovakian, Russian, Belgian, and other Continental linens. In any case it is debatable whether this is the right time to start an expensive linen campaign in the States.

This was an important week in linen merchanting circles in New York as it marked the holding of the tenth semi-annual national domestics and linen show at the Hotel New Yorker. Next week the Chicago linen exposition will be held in Palmer House, Chicago, from August 1 to 5, and several Ulster linen firms have stands. These exhibitions are for the trade only, and no members of the general public are admitted.

WOMAN'S THIRD SET OF TWINS.

ALL ARE BOY-AND-GIRL

AND FATHER IS WORKLESS.

Her third set of "girl-and-boy" twins in four years has been born to a Yorkshire woman, Mrs. Jack Dye, the wife of an unemployed bus operative, living in Vancouver, says the Central News. This latest addition brings their family up to seven, the eldest being a girl of eight. Both Mr. and Mrs. Dye are as surprised as they are happy. Mr. Dye is 36 and his wife 31, and both come of sturdy Yorkshire stock. On neither side is there any family history of twins.

Mr. and Mrs. Dye went to Vancouver ten years ago, but things have not been too easy for them. They would like to get back to Yorkshire. "When I came to Canada, I had a bit of money made in operating a bus business," said Mr. Dye. "That's all a thing of the past, and I haven't had any regular work for some time. My wife gets a little homesick. You see, we have no relatives in Canada, and perhaps we miss the friendly Yorkshire people."

Vancouver doctors declare they can supply no scientific explanation why Mrs. Dye or any other mother should give birth to three consecutive sets of twins. That is rare they all agree.

IT'S ALL DONE BY KINDNESS.

The other day a Government geologist, who was out on the survey of a wild and remote part of Southern Rhodesia, pitched his camp near to a native cattle kraal. At about 3 a.m. a lion came grunting round the kraal. As the geologist was feeling for the electric torch and rifle he carried for protection an old native came out of a nearby hut and cracked a whip. The lion's grunts at once became a diminishing "bub-bub-bub," which indicated he was in full retreat. The native cracked his whip again, murmured threats and imprecations, and then retired to rest.

The next morning the geologist asked the native where he got the idea of the whip. "Lappa Circus," he replied. It appeared that the native had once seen lions dealt with in that way in the ring at Salisbury.

RED INDIANS' LETTER TO KING.

A letter to King George VI. asking his Majesty to "keep the whites off the tribal land" is on the way to London.

It has been compiled by Red Indians living on the Kootenay plains of Alberta and has been signed by Chief Walking Eagle, who asks the King to carry out promises made by Queen Victoria, the "Great White Queen." The chief declares that Queen Victoria, in 1877, promised his tribe "plenty game, tobacco, food." Now white men have invaded the Indian land, hunting and trapping, and the chief asks that the plains shall be made an Indian reservation. The tribe refuses to move to a reserve close to Calgary.

LOVE WILL FIND A WAY.

Neither door nor bolt, swears 77 year-old John Deremo, will keep his true love from him.

His love, Hetty Williams, who is 73, has been taken to the Peterborough County House of Refuge, which translated means workhouse, and John says it isn't quite the place for the one who is to be his bride!

The authorities, on the other hand, say that John's house is not quite the place for her, especially when she is ill and John keeps eight dogs in his house.

The first night she was in the hospital the screen was forced from Miss Williams' window, but she was caught as she was about to escape.

Two days later, while John craftily engaged the superintendent of the house in conversation, Hetty escaped and sat in his car. Police chased them to his house but left when John produced a marriage licence.

But it couldn't be used for four days and in the meantime Hetty was taken back to the home by welfare workers. John says she won't stay there and is just waiting for the guard to relax.

FARMER FLYER "A MENACE."

An Oklahoma farmer who flies crazier "crates" than Corrigan has been ordered to stay on the ground by the police as he has no pilot's licence.

Herman Schapansky made his solo flight and first crashed in a Jenny biplane salvaged from a scrap heap and hammered together on his farm at Weatherford. Neighbouring farmers scurried to their cellars when they heard the splutter of its engine and remembered that Schapansky had only had three flying lessons. Finally Mr. J. M. Gentry, State Safety Commissioner, stepped in.

"He's a menace to that whole section of the State" he said. "A man's a fool to go up in a contraption like that."

Schapansky's retort was "I'm a good flyer. They don't give an ambitious young man a break in aviation any more How far do you think the Wright brothers and Lindbergh would have gone if they had got caught in this red tape. I'm going to take my cream and eggs to town in a 'plane some day. When I have enough money to buy something better than junks, watch me go."

On his first solo flight Schapansky stalled at 200 feet and crashed. Undismayed, he built more 'planes. Few of them flew for long and his crashes became so regular that his wife stood by the telephone, with car and trailer handy to go and fetch him and the wreckage when he crashed.

It was said that most of the time the farmer flew directly along highways so that he would crash in places conveniently reached by car.

LAST OF RYAN GANG HUNG.

The last surviving member of Red Ryan's gang of bandits that terrorised the Ontario countryside ten years ago has met his end in the time-honoured fashion—by hanging.

Thomas ("Shorty") Bryans, was one of the youngest members of the gang. He was only 38, and he was hung for murdering Norman Ford, 26-year-old golf professional, outside a Toronto police station.

Bryans was a member of Ryan's gang when the notorious criminal escaped from Kingston Penitentiary in 1923.

Ryan, Bryans, Arthur Sullivan, Edward M'Mullen, and Gordon Simpson climbed a penitentiary wall in daylight. Sullivan was killed in Minneapolis shortly after the escape. Ryan was killed when he and Harry Checkley held up a Government liquor store in Sarnia, Ontario, in 1936.

M'Mullen was shot to death in 1936 by a Customs officer on the British Columbia-Washington border after fleeing from Vancouver, where he had been hiding.

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NAVY "AT HOME" TO NATION

PROGRAMMES TO-DAY

MUSICAL VARIETY.

PORTSMOUTH REFLECTIONS.

Frank Rea and his Orchestra will broadcast from the Orpheus Restaurant, Belfast, at 6 p.m., and at 7-5 there will be a programme of Syncopation given by Percy Waterhouse (saxophone and clarinet), Edward Teare (xylophone), and James Moody at the piano.

To-day is the opening day of Navy Week when the three great naval dockyards, Portsmouth, Plymouth, and Chatham, are opened to the public.

Thomas Woodrooffe will be at Portsmouth, and in broadcasts from National he will tell listeners how the Navy is entertaining its visitors.

NORTHERN IRELAND (307.1 METRES).

5-0—Children's Hour: Regional programme. 6-0—Frank Rea and his Orchestra, from the Orpheus Restaurant, Belfast. 6-30—Regional. 7-5—Syncopation, with Percy Waterhouse (saxophone and clarinet), Edward Teare (xylophone), and James Moody at the piano. 7-20—Northern Ireland News. 7-25—Weather Forecast for Northern Ireland. 7-30—Time Signal, Greenwich; News; Weather Forecast. 8-0—12-0—Regional.

NATIONAL (1,500 METRES).

5-0—Billy Cotton and his Band. 6-0—Time Signal, Greenwich; News; Weather Forecast. 6-30—Saturday Talk on Sport. 6-45—Navy Week at Portsmouth. The Navy At Home. Grand Finale from Portsmouth Dockyard. 7-0—The Leslie Bridgewater Quintet. 7-30—Brian Lawrance and his Orchestra, with Marjorie Stedeford, the Three Ginx.

8-0—The Company of the Theatre Royal, Brighton, present "The Case of the Frightened Lady," by Edgar Wallace. The play adapted for broadcasting and produced by John Cheatle. 9-15—A Pianoforte Recital by Eileen Joyce. 9-40—"The Last Voyage of Captain Grant"—4. A serial story of the Hudson Bay by Robert Flaherty, read by Geoffrey Tandy. 10-0—Time Signal, Greenwich; News, Weather Forecast, and Forecast for Shipping. 10-25—Southern Command Tidworth Tattoo. The Massed Bands of the Southern Command, from the Arena, Tidworth. 10-45—Dance Music on gramophone records. 11-0—Jack Harris and his Band, from Ciro's. 11-15 — Southern Command Tidworth Tattoo. Finale. From the Arena, Tidworth. (Time Signal, Greenwich, at 11-30). 11-30—12-0—Jack Harris and his Band.

REGIONAL PROGRAMME (342.1 M.).

5-0 — Children's Hour. 6-0 — "Dizzy Fingers." A programme of gramophone records by Alan Frank. 6-30—The B.B.C. Orchestra (Section C). 7-5—Amateur Photography. On Holiday — 1. F. J. Mortimer. 7-20—Regional Bulletin for Farmers. 7-25—Interlude. 7-30—Time Signal, Greenwich; News; Weather Forecast.

8-0—The City of Bristol Police Band. 8-30—Sing-song. A Saturday Night Entertainment, with Reginald Foort at the B.B.C. Theatre Organ; Peter Bernard, the Vagabond Lover, with Berta Ricardo; Hetty King; Bobby (Uke) Henshaw and Doris Harding; Billy Russell. A section of the B.B.C. Men's Chorus; the B.B.C. Variety Orchestra. Comperes, Willie Winkett and Cyril James; presented by John Sharman. 10-0—Bach. Antonio Brosa (violin). 10-30—America Dances. Gene Krupa and his Swing Orchestra, from Atlantic City, New Jersey (in collaboration with the Columbian Broadcasting System). 11-0—Jack Harris and his Band, from Ciro's. (Time Signal, Greenwich, at 11-30). 11-30—12-0—Late News and Weather Forecast.

NORTH PROGRAMME (449.1 METRES).

5-0—The Children's Hour. 6-0—Reginald Liversidge at the Organ of the Lido Cinema, Bolton. 6-30—"Dream Awhile." A recital of gramophone records, presented by Denis King. 7-5—"The Northern Muse." A Festival of Northern Dialect, Poetry and Song; arranged by D. G. Bridson. 2—Northumberland and Durham (Stagshaw). 7-20—Cotton and Wheat Prices. Northern Bulletin for Farmers. 7-25 — Interlude. 7-30 — Time Signal, Greenwich; News; Weather Forecast. 8-0—The Eccles Borough Band; conductor, Harry Clayton. 8-30—Regional. 10-30—Northern Summer Sports Bulletin. 10-35—Regional. (Time Signal, Greenwich, at 11-30). 11-30—12-0—Late News and Weather Forecast.

SCOTTISH PROGRAMME (391.1 M.).

5-0—The Children's Hour. 6-0—Time Signal, Greenwich; News; Weather Forecast. 6-30 — Piping by Pipe-Major Alexander Forrest. 6-50—"Exhibition on Parade" (2nd edition). A Revue of Floodlight and Fancy, by Jack House. Music by Douglas Steen; produced by Robin Russell. 7-20—Scottish Programmes Summary and Scottish Announcements. 7-30 — Time Signal, Greenwich; News; Weather Forecast. 8-0—Charles Stewart (accordion). 8-10—"The Week in Scotland." John R. Allan. 8-30 — Regional. 11-0 — Scottish Sports News. 11-15 — Regional. (Time Signal, Greenwich, at 11-30). 11-30—12-0—Late News and Weather Forecast.

EIREANN (531 METRES).

5-30—Tea-time Music by Bessie O'Hart Bourke's Trio. 6-0—Commentary on Cricket Match: M.C.C. v. Ireland. Commentator, J. H. Pigot. 6-20 — Maisie MacDonagh (mezzo-soprano). Song Recital. 6-35—Sgathan na nGaedheal. 6-45—News. 7-0—Irish Radio Octette; leader, Chris Kiernan. 7-20—Radio Diary, presented by Eric Boden. 7-30—Fifty Years of Popular Song, No. 2 — The Naughty Nineties, presented by J. E. Henry. 8-20—Music Published by An Gum No. 3, reviewed by Dr. J. F. Larchet. String Music by Irish Radio Octette; leader, Chris Kiernan. 8-50—Choose Your Announcer, No. 4. A thriller told by selected voices. 9-10—Mike and Joe Nono: Variety. 9-30—Sponsored programme. 10-30—News. Programme concluded by Light Music. 11-0—Close.

FOREIGN WAVES IN METRES.

Berlin	356.7
Beromunster	539.6
Brussels (No. 1)	483.9
Budapest (No. 1)	549.5
Cologne	455.9
Fecamp	269.5
Frankfurt	251
Heilsberg	291
Hilversum	301.5
Leipzig	382.2
Luxemberg	1304
Milan	368.6
Moscow (No. 1)	1724
Oslo	1154
Paris (Poste Parisien)	312.8
(Radio)	1648
Rome	420.8
Sottens	443.1
Stockholm	426.1
Strasbourg	349.2
Toulouse	328.6
Trieste	245.5
Vienna	506.8
Warsaw	1339

WAZIRISTAN DISORDERS.

BRITISH TROOPS TAKE PRISONERS.

British troops surrounded the village of Zerpazi, four miles west of Asad Khel, Waziristan, after the inhabitants had been creating trouble, states the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post" Simla correspondent. Four prisoners were taken and two towers belonging to the instigators of recent outrages were demolished.

Gangs continue to disturb North Waziristan. The tribesmen who recently raided Bannu City have been located.

BLOOD TESTS IN ACCIDENTS.

REICH POLICE CHIEF'S ORDER.

BERLIN, Friday.—The Chief of the Reich Police, Herr Himmler, has published an order under which police doctors may carry out blood tests on all the parties to a street accident, including pedestrians. The blood test system, which has been tried out in the province of Prussia, has proved so satisfactory that it is to be extended to the whole of Germany (states the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post" correspondent).

The aim of the new regulation, extending the tests to pedestrians, is to protect car drivers from charges of negligent driving in cases where their "victims" are under the influence of alcohol.

SUNDAY FEATURES.

BELFAST STUDIO SERVICE.

ADDRESS BY REV. L. SCHOFIELD.

Selections from the poems of Jonathan Swift will be read on Sunday evening at 9-30 by Noel Iliff, of the Dublin Gate Theatre.

A Moravian service will be broadcast from the Studio at 7 o'clock, the address being given by the Rev. L. G. Schofield, of Cliftonville, Belfast.

Roland Powell's Quintet broadcasts at 6-15 from the Slieve Donard Hotel, Newcastle.

At 9-5 Frederick Stone will conduct the B.B.C. Northern Ireland Chorus in a programme of Metrical Psalms.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

9-25 a.m.—National. 10-30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping. 10-45—National. 4 p.m.—Regional. 6-15—Roland Powell's Quintet, from the Slieve Donard Hotel, Newcastle. 6-55—Interval.

7-0—Service (Moravian) from the Studio. Address by the Rev. L. G. Schofield, of Cliftonville, Belfast. 7-50—Interval.

7-55—National. 8-45—The Week's Good Cause. An appeal on behalf of North Belfast Mission, by Rev. John W. Stutt. Contributions will be gratefully acknowledged, and should be addressed to Rev. John W. Stutt, North Belfast Mission, 37 Gt. George's Street, Belfast. 8-50—News; Weather Forecast. (Time Signal, Greenwich, at 9-0).

9-5—Metrical Psalms sung unaccompanied by members of the B.B.C. Northern Ireland Chorus, conducted by Frederick Stone. 9-30—Selections from the Poems of Jonathan Swift, read by Noel Iliff. 9-45—10-30—Regional.

NATIONAL PROGRAMME.

9-25 a.m.—Service (Church of England) from Northwich Parish Church, Cheshire. Address by the Rev. A. W. M. Wood. 10-15—Interval. 10-30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping. 10-45—Reginald King and his Orchestra. 11-15—Charles Brill and his Orchestra. 12-0—English Country Songs. Constance Carrodus. 12-20 p.m.—Isidore Schwiller and his String Sextet. 1-0—The B.B.C. Military Band. 1-45—Troise and his Mandoliers, with Don Carlos. 2-15—Gramophone Records: Ballet Music, "Le Beau Danube." 2-45—The Arthur Dulay Quintet. 3-15—The Walford Hyden Magyar Orchestra. (Time Signal, Greenwich, at 4-0). 4-0—Rachmaninoff. Antoni Sala (violoncello), Gerald Moore (pianoforte). 4-30—The Norbert Wethmar Trio.

5-0—"The Apocalypse." (An introduction to the Book of Revelation—3). The Rev. Fr. C. C. Martindale, S.J. 5-20—Wellesley Colliery Band; Matthew Dickie (tenor). (From Scottish). 6-15—"The Fortnight's Films." Herbert Hedge. 6-30—Chamber Music. The Menges String Quartet. 7-50—Interval.

7-55—Service from Worthing Baptist Church. Address by the Rev. W. Ridley Chesterton.

8-45—The Week's Good Cause. An appeal on behalf of the Women's Holiday Fund, by the Rt. Rev. the Lord Bishop of Bristol. 8-50—News; Weather Forecast. (Time Signal, Greenwich, at 9-0). 9-5—Leslie Jeffries and his Orchestra. 9-45—The B.B.C. Orchestra (Section C). 10-30—Epilogue. (Time Signal, Greenwich and Shipping Forecast at 11-0).

REGIONAL PROGRAMME.

9-25 a.m.—Service (Church of England) from Northwich Parish Church. Address by the Rev. A. W. Maitland Wood. 10-15—Interval.

10-30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping. 10-45—National. 4-0—Time Signal, Greenwich. Gilbert Stacey and his Sextet.

4-30 — Children's Service from Dr. Barnardo's Boys' Garden City Church, Woodford Bridge. Address by the Rev. A. Morgan Parry, Chaplain.

5-0 — Medvedeff's Balalaika Orchestra. 5-20—The B.B.C. Midland Orchestra. 6-15—The Alphas, presented by Frank Stewart. 6-45—Felton Rapley at the B.B.C. Theatre Organ. 7-15—Michaeloff and his Bessarabian Orchestra. 7-55—Interval.

8-0—Service (Church of England from the Studio. Address by the Rt. Rev. Walter J. Carey, D.D., Chaplain of Eastbourne College.

8-45 — The Week's Good Cause. An appeal on behalf of the Peel Institute by B. A. Campbell, Warden. 8-50—News; Weather Forecast. (Time Signal, Greenwich, at 9-0). 9-5—"London on the Spree." Seven centuries of Cockney diversion, by Hartley Kemball Cook, adapted by Igor Vinogradoff. With Carleton Hobbs, Tarver Penna, Susan Taylor, William Ashley, Warren Jenkins, Norman Shelley, Gladys Young, Edana Romney, Molly Hamley-Clifford, Peggy Bryan; produced by M. H. Allen. 9-45—Fred Hartley and his Sextet, with Billy Scott-Coomber. 10-50 — Epilogue.

NORTH PROGRAMME.

9-25 a.m.—National. 4-0—(Time Signal, Greenwich.) Regional. 7-15—Philip Martell and his Orchestra. 7-50—Interval.

7-55—Service (Church of England) from St. Botolph's Parish Church, Boston, Lincolnshire; address by the Rev. Canon A. M. Cooke. 8-45—The Week's Good Cause: an appeal on behalf of the Fleetwood Fishing Industry Benevolent Fund by Admiral of the Fleet, Sir Roger Keyes, Bt. 8-50—News; Weather Forecast (Time Signal, Greenwich, at 9-0). 9-5—"Summer Sketch," John Hilton. 9-25—A Pianoforte Recital by Donald Hargreaves. 9-45—Regional. 10-30—Epilogue.

SCOTTISH PROGRAMME.

9-25 a.m.—National. 10-15—Interval. 10-30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping. 10-45—National. 4-0—(Time Signal, Greenwich). Regional. 5-20—The B.B.C. Midland Orchestra. 6-15—Regional.

7-55—Service (Church of Scotland) from St. Bride's Parish Church, Sanquhar. Address by the Rev. William S. Buchan.

8-45—The Weeks Good Cause: an appeal on behalf of Scottish Voluntary Nursery Schools, by Sir David Wilkie, Professor of Surgery, the University of Edinburgh. 8-50—News, Weather Forecast. (Time Signal, Greenwich at 9-0.) 9-5—Regional. 10-30—Epilogue.

EIREANN.

1-30 p.m.—Gramophone Concert. 3-20—Relay of commentary on Leinster Hurling Final from Tullamore. Commentator, David Hanley. 5-0—Gramophone Concert. 5-30—"The Chanticleers" in Choral Variety. 6-10—Talk on St. Alphonsus Ligouri, Founder of the Redemptorist Order, by Rev. James A. Cleary, C.SS.R. 6-25—Julia Gray's Trio. 7-0—Piseoga le Nioclas Toibin. 7-15—Hubert Valentine (tenor). 7-30—Hysterical History by George Brennan. 7-40—No. 1 Army Band. Conductor, Lieut. J. M. Doyle. 8-35—Improving Each Other: A Domestic Sketch by J. J. Moran. 8-45—Dance in your homes to the Austin Stack Ceilidhe Band. Vocalist, Denis Cox (baritone). 9-30—Sponsored Programme. 10-30 — To-night's News. 10-45 — Sean O. Ceallachain, Sports Talk. 11-0—Close.

FLAMBORO HEAD PRESERVATION.

The Minister of Health has approved a resolution to prepare a planning scheme for 65,000 acres of the Bridlington rural district. The area includes Flamboro Head and large portions of Filey and Bridlington Bays.

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MONDAY'S RADIO.

EARLY PROGRAMME SURVEY

NORTHERN IRELAND.

10-15 a.m.—National. 10-30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping. 10-45 till 5 p.m.—Regional.

NATIONAL PROGRAMME.

10-15 a.m.—Daily Service. 10-30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping. 10-45 — "The Burglar." The story of a life, told from recollection by Lieut.-Colonel S. H. Hingley. 11-0—Jan Hurst and his Orchestra, from the Regal Pavilion, South Pier, Blackpool. 12-0—An Organ Recital by Guy Eldridge, from the Concert Hall, Broadcasting House. 12-30 p.m.—Rhythm on Records. Popular dance music on gramophone records. 1-15—The Band of H.M. Royal Marines, Plymouth Division. Clarence Tomlinson (baritone). 2-15—Time Signal, Greenwich. Gramophone Records. Excerpts from Verdi's early operas. 3-0—Harry Engleman's Quintet, with Vernon Adcock (xylophone). 3-30—A Sonata Recital: Cyril Perfect (violin), Elsa Jordan (pianoforte). 4-0—Dudley Savage at the Organ of the Royal Cinema, Plymouth. 4-30—Music in England To-day—Yeomans (3). (Records).

REGIONAL PROGRAMME.

10-15 a.m.—Daily Service. 10-30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping. 10-45 — John Bennett at the Organ of the Plaza Theatre, Rugby. 11-15—Gramophone Records. 11-35—A Ballad Concert: Bessie Jones (soprano), Ashmoor Burch (baritone). 12-0—Gramophone Records: Sound Track. Music from the Films. 12-30 p.m.—The B.B.C. Scottish Orchestra. 1-30—Chamber Music: The Gershom Parkington Trio. 2-25—The Wessex Players. 3-0—The Whitby Municipal Orchestra, from the Spa, Whitby. 4-0—Modern Art. "Amateur Artists." R. H. Wilenski. 4-15 — International Athletics. A commentary on the 120 yards hurdles, 880 yards, 440 yards, and 440 yards hurdles, by H. M. Abrahams, from the White City Stadium.

NORTHERN PROGRAMME.

10-15 a.m.—Daily Service. 10-30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping. 10-45—Regional. 2-0 till 5 p.m. — Bank Holiday Sport. Cricket — Motor-cycle Racing — Baseball. Cricket: Lancashire v. Yorkshire; commentaries on the County Cricket Match by A. E. Lawton, from Old Trafford, Manchester. Motor-cycle Racing: Commentaries on the Cadwell Park Motor-cycle Road Races by Graham Walker, from Cadwell Park, Lincolnshire. Baseball, Yorkshire v. Lancashire: Commentaries on the County Baseball Match by Alfred T. Grogan, from Craven Park, Hull.

SCOTTISH.

10-15 a.m.—Daily Service. 10-30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast for Farmers and Shipping. 10-45 till 5 p.m.—Regional.

EIREANN.

1-30 p.m.—Gramophone Concert. 2-45 till 3-15—Commentary on Limerick Grand Prix Motor Race, by Harold C. Brown.

AID FOR WAR VICTIMS.

NATION-WIDE CAMPAIGN.

Regional Conferences covering the whole of the British Isles, to protest to the Government against the continued bombardment of open towns in Spain and China, and to raise large sums of money for food and medical supplies to be sent to the civilian victims of the wars in those countries, are to take place in the early autumn.

The decision to organise these conferences has been taken at a meeting of the British Executive Committee of the International Peace Campaign in London, at which Mr. P. J. Noel-Baker, M.P., Miss Megan Lloyd George, M.P., and Mr. Wilfrid Roberts, M.P., were present. The meeting had been called to prepare details of an immediate campaign to give effect to the series of far-reaching decisions taken by the I.P.C.'s World Conference on the bombardment of open towns in Paris last week-end.

THE HARLEM ANGELS

AND 3,000 NEGRO SINGERS.

AS NEIGHBOURS OF U.S. PRESIDENT

President Roosevelt, whose family has resided for several generations at an old mansion at Krum Elbow, on the Hudson River near Hyde Park, is unexpectedly to have Father Divine, the New York negro preacher, and his Harlem angels as his immediate neighbours, states the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post" New York correspondent.

An agricultural colony of several thousand negroes is to be established almost within sight of the President's porch on 500 acres of land, which has been sold them at a bargain price by Mr. Howland Spencer, a boyhood friend of the Roosevelt family, who recently, it is reported, has become violently opposed to Mr. Roosevelt's political views.

Mr. Spencer, a wealthy gentleman-farmer, stood beaming happily on Friday as 'buses full of negroes drove up to the estate and took possession of their new home. Miss Faithful Love, Miss Saint Luke, and Miss Glory-Be-To-God and others were busy under Father Divine's personal supervision clearing the grounds, painting houses, and cleaning out boathouses.

Officials at the White House declined to give any opinion whether Mr. Roosevelt will enjoy the sound of 3,000 angels singing near his home during his evenings of rest at Hyde Park.

Father Divine, otherwise Mr. George Baker, formerly a gardener, claims that he is God, and is worshipped as divine by thousands. His followers declare that he descended into Harlem, negro quarter of New York, in a cloud of fire.

A FAMILY FIGHT.

Mr. Spencer, when asked why he had disposed of this particular piece of land to Father Divine's followers, said, "It is the result of Roosevelt's vindictiveness when he did not get the name Krum Elbow—that and just another old family fight."

He recalled that some years ago Mr. Roosevelt claimed the right to call his estate Krum Elbow—"crooked elbow"—because the river bends at that point. Mr. Spencer's estate, however, was called by that name, and it is this estate which the negroes are now to have.

Asked if the idea was to annoy President Roosevelt, Mr. Spencer replied, "This is a farming proposition. Of course, all you can see from the Roosevelt side of the river is this estate." He then added, "Father Divine's ideas may triumph over Roosevelt's."

MOTOR ACCIDENTS IN R.A.F.

SERIOUS VIEW TAKEN.

The report of the Commandant of the R.A.F. College, Cranwell, at the passing-out inspection of flight cadets, which was carried out on Friday by Marshal of the Royal Air Force, Sir John Salmond, states that there has been a large increase in the number of injuries incurred in motor accidents. Nine cadets were admitted to hospital through this cause, resulting in the loss of 180 working days whilst in hospital, and 137 days whilst on sick leave.

In the corresponding period last year two cadets were admitted to hospital as a result of motor accidents which caused a loss of 50 working days

A serious view is taken of this increase in motor accidents, the report adds, and, as a result, the regulations in this connection have been strengthened.

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ULSTER GRAND PRIX

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THE ENTRIES AND CLASSES

The 1938 Ulster Grand Prix, the seventeenth of the series, should prove most interesting. The entries, which we publish to-day, contain the names of men famous on British and Continental circuits, all of whom can be counted upon to do their part to restore the proud title of the "world's fastest road race," which was the property of the Ulster Grand Prix until captured by the Dutch T.T. in 1936.

Since then, owing to a series of virtual "walk-over" victories, the "Ulster" has been out of luck as far as sheer high speed lapping is concerned.

The highest speed yet recorded on the course is 95.35 m.p.h., by the late Jimmy Guthrie in 1935.

It is disappointing that Stanley Woods will be unable to ride the 500 c.c. Velocette on which he was entered by Veloce Ltd. Stanley has informed the promoters that his hand, injured in the Belgium Grand Prix, was not sufficiently recovered to enable him to participate.

Veloce Ltd., however, have nominated S. (Ginger) Wood to take over the entry. Wood will be remembered for his thrilling 1936 Grand Prix ride, when he finished only inches ahead of L. J. Archer, the two having tossed a coin before the event to decide which would win the race. Last year Wood gave stern battle on an Excelsior to E. R. Thomas, riding a German D.K.W., and finished second.

Opposing Wood will be two official Norton entries, in the hands of F. L. Frith and H. L. Daniell.

Frith needs no introduction to "Ulster" spectators, having won the event in 1936 on his first appearance on the Clady circuit.

Daniell has become "Britain's motorcyclist No. 1" by virtue of his magnificent riding in the Senior T.T. last June, which he won at a record speed.

Another interesting entry is that of E. Roy Evans, who will ride a B.S.A. It is a long time since a machine of this make has competed in the "Ulster," and it should attract much interest.

A private entry from M. D. Whitworth should also set a fast pace.

A host of privately-owned Nortons will provide a veritable dog-fight, and it is interesting to note that these are all new machines fitted with rear-springing.

In the 350 c.c. class Nortons will be officially represented by J. H. White, the Radlett schoolmaster, and Walter Rusk. Rusk is making a welcome return to road racing in his native North, and is making his first appearance here on a "works" Norton since 1935, when he crashed at Aldergrove after lapping at well over 90 m.p.h.

The A.J.S. concern, whose machines are reputedly fast, have entered two machines, which will be ridden by A. R. Foster and G. E. Rowley.

Competition among the private entrants will also be keen, and local interest will be centred on J. E. Little, the Belfastman, who will be finishing his first season of Continental road-racing, during which he has secured several awards.

The 250 c.c., or "Baby" class, where speeds are now higher than they were in the Senior classes of a few years ago, has a representative entry, headed by E. R. Thomas, who will again ride a German D.K.W. machine.

Since their first appearance in Ulster in 1935, these German super-charged machines, whose name means "The Little Marvel," have been watched with interest by Ulster enthusiasts, and it is common knowledge that these little machines are capable of phenomenal speeds.

Excelsiors will renew the struggle that has been going on in every road race this season between their machines and the representatives of the German factory.

A number of private entrants will also contest this class.

Taken all over, the 1938 Ulster Grand Prix has all the ingredients that have made it a "Classic International" event.

THE ENTRIES AND CLASSES

500 C.C.

Entrant	Driver	Machine
E. Roy Evans (Oswestry).....	Entrant..........	B.S.A.
Norton Motors Ltd..........	H. L. Daniell..........	Norton
Norton Motors Ltd..........	F. L. Frith..........	Norton
Neville Todd (Skerries)......	Entrant..........	Norton
H. Tomlinson (Sheffield)......	Entrant..........	Norton
R. Mead (Helsby)..........	Entrant..........	Norton
H. B. Myers (Hull)..........	Entrant..........	Norton
J. W. Beevers (Sheffield)......	Entrant..........	Norton
H. Billington (Manchester)......	Entrant..........	Rudge
J. M'Credie (Bo'ness)..........	Entrant..........	Rudge
M. D. Whitworth (Ickenham)..	Entrant..........	Velocette
Veloce Ltd..........	S. ("Ginger") Wood..........	Velocette

350 C.C.

Entrant	Driver	Machine
A.J.S. Cycles Ltd..........	A. R. Foster..........	A.J.S.
A.J.S. Cycles Ltd..........	G. E. Rowley..........	A.J.S.
J. W. Alger (Luton)..........	Entrant..........	A.J.S.
J. Bailey (Hazlehead)..........	Entrant..........	Norton
P. T. Hill (Belfast)..........	Entrant..........	Norton
J. A. M'Lachlan (C.-c.-Hardy)..	Entrant..........	Norton
Norton Motors..........	J. H. White..........	Norton
Norton Motors..........	W. F. Rusk..........	Norton
K. A. Burton (Coventry)......	Entrant..........	Norton
A. K. Millington..........	Entrant..........	Norton
C. R. Clarke (Birkenhead)......	Entrant..........	Norton
R. A. Edwards (Dewsbury)......	Entrant..........	Norton
F. Bentley (Buxton)..........	Entrant..........	Norton
F. H. Worrall (Newton)..........	Entrant..........	Rudge
J. E. Little (Belfast)..........	Entrant..........	Velocette
H. B. Caldwell (Altrincham)..	Entrant..........	Velocette
L. G. Martin (I.O.M.)..........	Ron Fox..........	Velocette
W. A. Wing (Daybrook)..........	Entrant..........	Velocette
L. J. Archer (Aldershot)......	Entrant..........	Velocette
J. Garnett (Liverpool)..........	Entrant..........	Velocette
L. R. Higgins (Gillingham)......	Entrant..........	Velocette
Veloce Ltd..........	E. R. Mellors..........	Velocette
A. J. Bell (Belfast)..........	Entrant..........	Velocette
C. Redfearn (Alfreton)..........	Entrant..........	Velocette
J. Hayes (Crossgar)..........	Entrant..........	Velocette

250 C.C.

Entrant	Driver	Machine
C. Tattersall (St. Annes)......	Entrant..........	C.T.S.
Auto-Union A.G..........	E. R. Thomas..........	D.K.W.
C. G. Wheatley (York)..........	Entrant..........	Excelsior
Excelsior Motor Cycles..........	H. G. Tyrell-Smith..........	Excelsior
Excelsior Motor Cycles..........	C. H. Manders..........	Excelsior
F. S. Cadman (Shirley)..........	Entrant..........	Excelsior
T. L. Irwin (Belfast)..........	Entrant..........	Excelsior
E. A. Milner (Chesterfield)......	Entrant..........	Excelsior
C. F. Reilly (Belfast)..........	Entrant..........	Excelsior
Anelay's Ltd..........	L. G. Martin (I.O.M.)..........	Excelsior
R. L. Hulme (Surbiton)..........	Entrant..........	Excelsior
C. F. Brett (Headingley)..........	Entrant..........	Excelsior
Stuarts M.C. Depot..........	S. V. Smith (Blackpool)....	O.K. Supreme
Stuarts M.C. Depot..........	S. M. Miller (Chorley)..........	O.K. Supreme
Stuarts M.C. Depot..........	C. Stone (Bolton)..........	O.K. Supreme
J. H. Dunn (Oswestry)..........	Entrant..........	O.K. Supreme
G. M'Adam (Belfast)..........	Entrant..........	New Imperial
F. H. Stock (Belfast)..........	Entrant..........	—
H. Hartley (Beverley)..........	Entrant..........	Rudge

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Entrant	Driver	Machine
L. M. Duffy (Dublin)..........	Entrant..........	Rudge
T. G. Byrne (Dublin)..........	Entrant..........	Rudge
F. A. N. Cochrane (Hull)..........	Entrant..........	—
T. Swire (Birmingham)..........	Entrant..........	—

MONDAY'S RACING FORECASTS.

SELECTIONS BY "BURNABY."

SANDOWN PARK MEETING.

1-30—ALBANY GIRL.
2- 0—RED MESSENGER.
2-30—GAINSBOROUGH LAD.
3- 0—DARK TOLLY. *
3-30—IRENIA Filly.
4- 0—YUGO.
4-30—ROWAN LEAF.

RIPON MEETING.

1-30—BANGO.
2- 0—M. Peacock's Selected.
2-30—FERN-LI-DEL.
3- 0—THE SANCTUARY
3-30—HIGH TIDE
4- 0—MOUNT LOTHIAN.
4-30—GENTLE LILY.

BIRMINGHAM MEETING.

2- 0—FLYING SCOTSMAN II
2-30—GLEN DILLY.
3- 0—AFRICAN SISTER or AKELA.
3-30—INCANTATOR.
4- 0—QUICK ACTION Colt.
4-30—SWILCAN

CHEPSTOW MEETING.

2-30—H Hartigan's Selected
3- 0—BARNAGEERA.
3-30—KYLES OF MINARD
4- 0—ORASOLFA.
4-30—BROKEN SEAL.
5 0—DOUBLE ALMOND

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DERRY CITY MEETING

POINTS FROM CLUB REPORT.

HOPE DIRECTORS EXPRESSED.

At a meeting of the directors of Derry City Football Club on Friday evening regret was expressed at the decline in home gates during the past few seasons.

It was reported that the loss on the 1937-38 season was £379 8s 8d, and this added to the debit balance of £723 16s at the beginning of the season brought the total deficit to £1,103 4s 8d. The directors expressed satisfaction at the good response made to the appeal for more practical support last year as indicated by the increase in the seasan tickets sales. While the home gates had declined, the away gates increased during the same period. The City Cup gates were especially disappointing, and the view was expressed that had these even maintained average receipts of the League the financial position would have been sounder.

The total "gate" receipts amounted to £3,252 0s 11d, and the season tickets realised £706 13s. The team maintenance cost £4,381 5s 1d, made up of £3,701 18s 11d for upkeep and expenses, and £679 6s 2d for management and administration expenses. The total gross home gates in the Irish League matches last season amounted to £1,423 15s 3d, while the total net away "gates" in Irish League matches were £1,000 7s 9d. The net receipts for the City Cup were £433 7s 7d.

The directors expressed the hope that in view of the team's good record better support would be forthcoming during the coming season.

The annual meeting of shareholders was fixed for August 18.

AMERICAN TRIBUTE TO TOMMY FARR.

CROWD POPULARITY.

"£60,000 FIGHTER," SAYS BOSS

STRICKLAND TEST COMMENT.

NEW YORK, Saturday.— Tommy Farr, British heavyweight champion, is one of the best draws in boxing to-day according to no less an authority on receipts than Mike Jacobs.

"I'd rate Tommy as being about a 300,000 dollars (£60,000) fighter," said Jacobs, "though his value will take an awful slump if he happens to get belted out or badly beaten by Maurice Strickland in Canada next month."

"If Farr could only sock he would be next to Joe Louis as a money spinner," added the promoter. "Louis is in a class by himself as far as drawing the money is concerned. He is a million dollar baby."—Press Association Foreign Special.

LYDON'S U.S. RIVAL ON WARPATH.

SHUCCO "CALLS OUT" WORLD

MAY FIND ANSWER IN IRELAND.

A letter on behalf of Tony Shucco, the 27-year-old heavyweight from Boston, Mass., who meets Dom Lydon, of Mayo, at Dublin on August 4, has been sent to every boxing promoter in Great Britain and Europe, challenging any heavyweight in the world "at their own terms."

He names, particularly, every well-known British heavyweight, and, surveying the Continent, "brings in" Adolf Heuser, the German champion, and Andre Lenglet, of France.

Shucco claims decisions over five world champions in three different classes, including James J. Braddock and Jack Sharkey, and the letter concludes—"Shucco is right here on the ground, and ready to go at a moment's notice. No need to send out of the country for fighters, unless the boys are looking for soft touches."

MAYO HEAVYWEIGHT "ON SPOT."

This all-embracing challenge from Shucco (writes "The Timekeeper") makes the American's Dublin match with Lydon specially interesting.

The Mayo heavyweight may not have the ripe experience of the Bostonian, but in the skilful hands of Ted Broadribb he has developed splendidly since dropping his Irish amateur title to become a professional, and is looked upon as a promising prospect for British championship honours, possessing a punch that can settle any fistic argument.

Shucco may find that he need travel no further than Ireland to get the rival of his dreams!

UNEMPLOYED RUSH FOR WORK

ON NEWRY ROAD SCHEME.

SCENE AT THE TOWN HALL.

Upwards of 600 unemployed labourers in Newry gathered at the Town Hall on Friday evening in an effort to secure work in connection with the new road improvement scheme to be undertaken by the Council.

The clerks assigned for the purpose of registering the names found it almost impossible to deal with the rush as the crowd struggled and swayed to enter the hall.

In a statement this morning Mr. W. M. Cronin, Town Clerk, said the object of the Council in having the names registered was to facilitate the Council in selecting the most suitable and deserving applicants, particularly from the men in receipt of special outdoor relief in preference to those drawing unemployment benefit or public assistance. The names of those selected would then be handed to the successful contractor, with the express wish that the men on that list should be employed.

With regard to the number to be engaged on the scheme, Mr. Cronin stated that that was a matter for the contractor, who would probably employ only between 30 and 40 men.

CAMPBELLIANS FOR CANADA

WITH PUBLIC SCHOOL CADETS' PARTY

Two members of the Campbell College, Belfast, O.T.C., K. H. Marshall and M. B. M'Ilroy, were included in the party of Public School O.T.C. Cadets who sailed from Belfast Lough last night in the Canadian Pacific liner Duchess of Bedford to take part in the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association events at Ottawa. They will afterwards spend two and a half weeks touring Eastern Canada as the guests of the Dominion Government, and will return home on September 10. The party is commanded by Major A. E. Orton, City of London School.

Returning to Canada in the same ship was the Canadian rifle team, which had many successes at Bisley.

JUNIOR ORANGE BODY.

BELFAST EXCURSIONS.

Two districts, Nos. 2 and 4 of the Junior Orange Association of Ireland, held their annual excursions and sports meetings to-day.

The No. 2 Junior District, Sandy Row, travelled to Captain Charley's estate, Phoenix Lodge, Dunmurry, leaving the Great Northern Railway in the afternoon.

The No. 4 District Lodge, Belfast, travelled to Bangor.

The district assembled at Denmark Street and marched to the Belfast & Co. Down Railway, entraining in three batches.

A sports meeting was held at the Recreation Grounds, Clandeboye Road, among the trophies being the Br. John Leinster trophy.

The sports organisers were Br. James M'Carroll and Robert Kilpatrick.

SWISS GRAND PRIX SURPRISE

AT FIRST WOMAN TO ENTER.

Mrs. Jill Thomas, the English racing driver, has set the Swiss motor racing authorities a problem, states the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post" motoring correspondent. She has entered for the Grand Prix of Switzerland to be run near Berne on August 21.

I understand that the promoting club is inquiring into Mrs. Thomas's record, and her qualifications to take part in such a race, and also into the capabilities of the "Monoposto" Alfa-Romeo car which she proposes to drive. There is nothing in the rules to prevent a woman competing.

No woman driver has ever competed in an International Grand Prix. In the race at Berne she will have to meet all the champion drivers and cars of Europe, including the two crack German teams, which have carried all before them for 18 months. The course is a difficult one, where great skill and nerve are required.

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WESTMINSTER'S WORK OF SESSION

73 ACTS WERE PASSED

COAL BILL BATTLE ENDED

TWO "PERSONAL" EPISODES

IN the session that has just ended the British Parliament sat for 159 days. Often debates went on until the early hours of the next morning.

THOSE WHO IMAGINE THAT PARLIAMENT IS "ALL TALK AND NO ACTION" MAY BE INTERESTED TO HEAR THAT DURING THE SESSION FIFTY-ONE GOVERNMENT MEASURES WERE PASSED INTO LAW—NOT INCLUDING THE MUCH-DEBATED FINANCE BILL AND THE CONSOLIDATED FUND BILL.

20 PRIVATE MEMBERS' BILLS.

In addition, twenty private members' Bills were passed, including such controversial and important ones as Miss Ellen Wilkinson's reform of the hire purchase system.

Four votes of censure were put down against the Government. Two of these were on foreign affairs, one was on alleged deficiencies in our air defences, and the other dealt with the special areas. All the censure votes were defeated.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

Something like 200 hours, it is calculated, were taken up with various aspects of foreign affairs.

THERE WERE TWENTY-FOUR DEBATES ON THIS SUBJECT, AND THE PRIME MINISTER AND MR. R. A. BUTLER (UNDER-SECRETARY AT THE FOREIGN OFFICE) ANSWERED BETWEEN THEM 1,400 FOREIGN AFFAIRS QUESTIONS.

EDEN AND SANDYS AFFAIRS

On the "human" side, the session at Westminster was full of incident. The biggest "sensation" was caused when in February Mr. Eden resigned the Foreign Secretaryship because he disagreed with the Prime Minister's policy in negotiating with Italy at a time when he (Mr. Eden) did not think conditions made success likely. Between Mr. Chamberlain and himself there was a real difference of outlook and method. Lord Halifax became Foreign Secretary.

Subsequently the Anglo-Italian Agreement was drawn up, but it will not come into force until a satisfactory situation is brought about with regard to foreign volunteers in the Spanish War.

Much uneasiness in Europe was caused by Germany's absorption of Austria, and this has been followed by anxiety over the position of the German minority in Czecho-Slovakia.

Tension has eased and Lord Runciman will next week go to Prague in the hope of assisting—in a purely personal capacity—a settlement of the dispute.

Another incident which caused considerable commotion was when Mr. Duncan Sandys put down a question said to contain secret military information.

This raised personal issues as well as the general problem of the position of M.P.'s under the Official Secrets Act. The whole matter is being investigated by a Select Committee, whose first report will be ready on October 18. It will be discussed as soon as the House resumes on November 1.

Accelerated rearmament was decided upon and a feature of the sessions has been Mr. Hore Belisha's reforms which have now culminated in the "democratisation" of the Army by facilitating promotion from the ranks and increasing officers' pay.

Sir John Simon's first Budget estimated expenditure for the current year at £944,398,000 towards the meeting of which an extra sixpence was put on income-tax and the tea duty was raised by twopence per pound.

Perhaps the most important measure is the Coal Bill, which received Royal Assent yesterday. Under it coal royalties will be purchased by the State for a total sum of £66,450,000 and new provision is made for compulsory amalgamation of collieries.

It has passed only after a memorable Parliamentary battle in which the Lords played a strong part

Air raid precautions schemes are now compulsory in all areas as a result of another Act, and Mr. Geoffrey Lloyd has been appointed A.R.P. Chief at the Home Office.

The improvement of relations between Britain and Eire, including the final settlement of financial claims, was dealt with in a measure of which Mr. Malcolm MacDonald was in charge.

A popular Act is that by which Mr. Ernest Brown will secure holidays with pay for another 2,000,000 workers through the Trade Boards and Agricultural Wages Committees. More paid holiday plans will be revealed next session.

Measures were passed with the object of developing the oil industry, civil aviation, sea fish, and the herring and bacon industries, while national insurance, population decline, housing, rent control, and agriculture were among the other matters upon which there was legislation.

DEATH BED LETTER.

QUEEN MARIE TO FAMILY.

"BLESS YOU, DEAR ROUMANIA."

Queen Marie of Roumania wrote on her deathbed a moving "last letter" to her five children. It was published in Bukharest, when details of her will were made known.

In her will, which is dated June 20, 1933, she appealed to her children to "stand always united to help their country and to assist each other." "I implore them," she said, "to submit without discord to my last wishes."

Queen Marie's children are King Carol of Roumania, M. Brana (the former Prince Nicholas, exiled when he married the former wife of a Russian diplomat), Princess Elizabeth of Greece, Queen Marie of Yugo-Slavia (mother of King Peter), and the Archduchess Ileane.

In her last letter to them she begged that they would remember her by the name "Mother of all" which was given to her during the war when she strongly supported the Allied cause.

"After the war," she adds, "I was forgotten, but that is the fate of all mothers."

The letter says—"I was only 17 years old when I came from England to live in Roumania. I was young and inexperienced, but I was very proud of my country of origin, and now I am still proud of having been born British. When I adopted a new nationality, however, I made an effort to become a good Roumanian. That was not an easy task. I was a foreigner in a foreign country, alone among foreigners.

"Bless you, my dear Roumania, country of my joys and my sorrows. I have the feeling that I have understood you. I have never passed judgment, but I have loved you.

"Adieu to all. Remember me to my people whom I have loved. I bless you with my last breath."

In her will Queen Marie left her various castles to her children. Queen Marie addressed herself particularly to King Carol, calling on God to "bless him and help him in his work for the peace and prosperity of Roumania, my dear country."

THE HOUSE OF WILSON.

REMOVAL TO DONEGALL SQUARE.

On Monday the high-class tailoring and outfitting firm of Hugh Wilson moves from Riddels Arcade to much more commodious premises at 16 Donegall Square North.

For more than 40 years the firm, whose slogan is "Dress the Wilson Way," has specialised in military and other high-grade tailoring.

Amongst those who recognise the importance of dressing well, the House of Wilson has long since won an enviable reputation.

The materials used in the production of Wilson clothes are chosen with the greatest care by Mr. Hugh Wilson himself.

The head cutter has had years of experience in a leading London house, and every tailor in the establishment is thoroughly skilled in high-class work.

A special department is allocated to ladies' tailoring, and there is also a section in which exclusive outfitting requisites are obtainable at reasonable prices.

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DESPATCH AND ARRIVAL.

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COUNTRY	Next Despatch	Box Closing	Next Mail due
Argentine, Paraguay, and Uruguay	—	—	—
(3) Australia	—	—	Aug. 2
Bahamas and Bermuda	Aug. 2	5.35 p.m.	Aug. 1
Bolivia	—	—	—
Brazil	Aug. 3	7. 0 p.m.	—
Canada per ss Queen Mary	Aug. 1	7. 0 p.m.	Aug. 1
Do. Supplementary Despatch	Aug. 2	7. 0 p.m.	—
Canary Isles	—	—	—
Central America, British Honduras, Guatemala, Honduras Rep., Nicaragua, Panama, Salvador, Cuba, Mexico	Aug. 2	5.35 p.m.	Aug. 1
Chili (North and Central)	Aug. 2	5.35 p.m.	Aug. 2
Chili (South)	—	—	—
*China via Siberia	July 31	4. 0 p.m.	Aug. 2
China	Aug. 4	8.15 a.m.	Aug. 2
Colombia	Aug. 2	5.35 p.m.	Aug. 2
Costa Rica	Aug. 2	5.35 p.m.	Aug. 1
(3) East Africa (Kenya, Uganda)	—	—	Aug. 3
Ecuador	Aug. 2	5.35 p.m.	Aug. 2
(5) Egypt, Palestine	—	—	Aug. 1
Europe (all parts)	Daily	8.15 a.m., noon, 4.30, 5.35, 7.0 p.m.	Daily
Guianas, British, Dutch and French	Aug. 2	5.35 p.m.	Aug. 3
(5) India	—	—	Aug. 1
Jamaica	Aug. 2	5.35 p.m.	Aug. 2
*Japan via Siberia	July 31	4. 0 p.m.	Aug. 2
Japan via U.S.A.	Aug. 2	5.35 p.m.	Aug. 2
Madeira	Aug. 4	5.35 p.m.	Aug. 3
Newfoundland	Aug. 2	5.35 p.m.	—
(3) New Zealand	—	—	Aug. 6
(2) South Africa	—	—	Aug. 3
(3) Straits Settlements	—	—	Aug. 2
U.S.A. per ss Queen Mary	Aug. 1	7. 0 p.m.	Aug. 1
Do. Supplementary Despatch	Aug. 2	7. 0 p.m.	—
Venezuela	Aug. 2	5.35 p.m.	Aug. 2
West Coast of Africa— Belgian Congo	Aug. 4	8.15 a.m.	—
Gold Coast	July 31	4. 0 p.m.	Aug. 8
West Indies— Leeward Isles	Aug. 2	5.35 p.m.	Aug. 1
Barbados, Trinidad, Grenada	Aug. 2	5.35 p.m.	Aug. 3

* Correspondence to be forwarded by this route or opportunity must be specially so addressed.

(2) By Air twice weekly.
(3) By Air three times weekly.
(5) By Air five times weekly.

HE REFUSED TO WORK.

MONTH FOR WORKHOUSE INMATE.

James M'Fadden, a 38-year-old inmate of the workhouse, was sent to prison for a month at the Belfast Custody Court to-day for insubordination Mr. H. Harper prosecuted for the Board of Guardians.

Evidence was given by Francis Mortishead, chief wardmaster, that M'Fadden, who was admitted to the workhouse two days ago, was assigned to work in the infirmary kitchen this morning, but refused to go. He persisted in his refusal even when the master told him he would have to be handed over to the police.

Mr. J. H. Campbell, R.M.—I thought the kitchen was one of the plums up there. (Laughter).

M'Fadden said he did not care for the work.

The Union of Austria and Germany has dealt a blow to Italian shipping in the Adriatic.—Reuter.

SUMMER HANDICAP FINAL.

SURPRISE AT CELTIC

OVER FANCY MAIDEN'S WIN.

Friday night's Celtic Summer Handicap provided all the thrills anticipated and a rare turn-up, a 10 to 1 chance in Fancy Maiden beating both her more fancied kennelite, Fancy Molly, and the favourite, Meadow Grove, after a race full of incident.

Meadow Grove had all the bad luck that was going in the race, bumped on the first and again on the top turn in most spiteful fashion, and yet only went under by half a length in 32.44secs., good time on the heavy going.

Fancy Molly got off to a good start, and in the back straight had taken advantage of the mix-up on the first turn to set up a lead of five to six lengths.

Failing to sustain her run further than the top bend, the front-marker was passed by her kennel companion, Fancy Maiden, who held on in game fashion when tackled by the favourite to score a good race.

Details:—

ROUTE STAKES (550 Yards).

GREEDY BEGGAR (1)—Miss E. Henderson 1
MOUNTAIN RAIN (2)—Mr. H. M'Cann 2
PEACE CONFERENCE (3)—Mr. P. Cahill ... 3

Also ran—Diamond Tune (5), Cranagh Mick (6), and Jolly Gangster (4).

Betting—5 to 4 on Greedy Beggar, 3 to 1 agst Jolly Gangster, 9 to 2 agst Mountain Rain, 6 to 1 each agst Diamond Tune and Peace Conference, and 10 to 1 agst Cranagh Mick.

Won by 5 lengths; ½ length. Time, 32.70 secs.

GREEDY BEGGAR was "Solid Man's" danger selection.

CELTIC SPRINT (375 Yards).

ROE NIBS (6)—Mr. J. Baird 1
LIVERPOOL MENU (1)—Mr. P. Sloan 2
INLER OF KNOCK (4)—Mr. G. Bickerstaff... 3

Also ran—Cahermone Leader (3).

Betting—5 to 4 on Roe Nibs, 3 to 1 agst Liverpool Menu, 5 to 1 agst agst others.

Won by 2 lengths; 1 length. Time, 21.50secs.

ROE NIBS was "Solid Man's" selection.

CELTIC SUMMER HANDICAP (550 Yards). Final.

FANCY MAIDEN (8yds)—Mr. F. Moore 1
MEADOW GROVE (5yds)—Mr. V. P. M'Mullan 2
HARLEY COUNTESS (7yds)—Mr. J. Bell ... 3

Also ran—Kernoghan Cutlet (5yds), Tobershiel Woodside (5yds), and Fancy Molly (9yds).

Betting—9 to 4 agst Meadow Grove, 5 to 2 agst Kernoghan Cutlet, 4 to 1 agst Harley Countess, 9 to 2 agst Fancy Molly, 6 to 1 agst Tobershiel Woodside, and 10 to 1 agst Fancy Maiden.

Won by ½ length; same. Time, 32.44secs.

HARMONICON STAKES (525 Yards).

HILARIOUS PRINCE (3)—Mr. J. Hanna ... 1
MAIL FAIR (2)—Mr. M. Smith 2
PETER THE PIPER (6)—Mr. W. Wilson ... 3

Also ran—Buy the Best (4), Square Cutlet (1), and Urbanity (5).

Betting—2 to 1 agst Square Cutlet, 5 to 2 agst Buy the Best, 9 to 2 each agst Urbanity and Peter the Piper, 8 to 1 agst Hilarious Prince, and 10 to 1 agst Mail Fair.

Won by 4 lengths; 1 length. Time, 30.64 secs.

SANDOWN STAKES (525 Yards).

EASTLEIGH CRESCENT (6)—Mr. J. Donald 1
QUEEN OF HUNT (2)—Mr. J. Kelly 2
CLUGGIN FAIR (1)—Mr. J. Ferguson 3

Also ran—Parish Wonder (3) and Rebel Mars (4).

Betting—2 to 1 agst Cluggin Fair, 9 to 4 each agst Queen of Hunt and Rebel Mars, 6 to 1 agst Eastleigh Crescent, and 10 to 1 agst Parish Wonder.

Won by 4 lengths; ½ length. Time, 31.30 secs.

QUEEN OF HUNT was "Solid Man's" selection.

CREBILLY STAKES (550 Yards).

MAYSFIELD CHAMPION (1)—Mr. D. Reilly 1
WINDINGBURN (5)—Mr. S. Warmington ... 2
FANCY MOVE (2)—Mr. F. Moore 3

Also ran—Look Out Below (4), Cranagh Prince (3).

Betting—2 to 1 agst Maysfield Champion, 9 to 4 agst Look Out Below, 7 to 2 each agst Windingburn and Fancy Move, 6 to 1 agst Cranagh Prince.

Won by a short head; half a length. Time, 33.12secs.

WINDINGBURN was "Solid Man's" selection.

MOURNE STAKES (525 Yards).

TACITA (4)—Mr. W. Twyford 1
MOUNTAIN BARRACK (3)—Mr. M'Closkey 2
DEAR BITE (1)—Mr. D. Barbour 3

Also ran—Bad Scholar (2), Ballymagoven Lad (6), Sultan's Novice (5).

Betting—2 to 1 each agst Dear Bite and Bad Scholar, 5 to 2 agst Ballymagoven Lad, 9 to 2 agst Mountain Barrack, 5 to 1 agst Sultan's Novice, 6 to 1 agst Tacita.

Won by a head; 1 length. Time, 31.37secs.

"CROSSINGS, NOT COFFINS,"

IS SLOGAN OF DEMONSTRATORS.

Another demonstration against the failure of the Ministry of Transport to accede to the request for traffic lights and pedestrian crossings in Western Avenue, Acton, took place there on Friday night.

Traffic was held up while the demonstrators marched up and down a length of the road carrying banners on which were written—"We want crossings, not coffins," and "road bridges will lead to greater speed and more accidents."

About a thousand people, most of them local residents, took part in the demonstration, among them mothers pushing prams and elderly men and women.

Meanwhile the scaffolding for the bridges has already been laid down.

SYRIAN DRUG GANG.

FIVE OF DOPE RING ARRESTED.

PARIS, Friday.—Five arrests for drug trafficking have been made among a Syrian gang of dealers. Investigations leading up to the arrests were made after the discovery at Alexandria of 80 pounds of hashish and opium hidden in paper rolls. The paper had been shipped in a Marseilles cargo vessel by a Syrian living in Paris.

On investigating in Paris the Surete (British equivalent of Scotland Yard) found a trunk with a double bottom, in which, it was alleged, one of the arrested men brought the drugs from Beyrout to Paris before they were sent to Egypt. One arrest was made at Alexandria, another at Beyrout, and three in Paris.

STONE AGE SKELETON FOUND.

PARIS, Friday.—The complete and well-preserved skeleton of a palaeolithic man has been discovered in a cave in the Auvergne Mountains of Central France. From pieces of flint picked up nearby it is believed to date from the Madelonian epoch of the stone age (states the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post" correspondent).

The body had been laid on the ground with the knees drawn up towards the trunk, and only the head had been buried. It is of a young man of short stature. Considerable importance is attached to the discovery, which is the first of its kind in the region.

WONDERFUL DIAMOND DISPLAY.

KIMBERLEY, Saturday.—One of the greatest displays of diamonds the world has ever seen will be staged at the World's Fair in Flushing (New York) next year. The exhibition of rough stones alone will be valued at between £300,000 and £400,000.—Reuter.

"KEEP IT A GAME,"

SAYS F.A. PRESIDENT.

HIS 50 YEARS OF SERVICE.

MANY HAPPY MEMORIES.

Mr. W. Pickford, President of the Football Association, who to-day completed 50 years of unbroken service on the Council, sends a message to the world of football.

A Lancashire man, he was the first Soccer captain of Hampshire. He has been responsible for several football reforms, and formulated the Referee's Chart.

"To maintain one set of football rules should be our direct aim, and to endeavour to have friendly relations and joint control with the great foreign associations over the game," says Mr. Pickford.

"To uphold the best ethics of the sport and to get the world to absorb the spirit of fair play should be two tasks always in the forefront of our duties.

"Football began as a game, and has so continued. Let us keep it a game. In this spirit all problems that arise can be solved. To let the game get out of hand would be to disgrace the name of those eager youths who founded the Football Association 75 years ago."

Mr. Pickford added, "What we do with our resources, our influence and our numbers—we have 35,000 clubs under our wing—is a very important factor in the future of the game."

If Mr. Pickford had not read of it in a newspaper, he would have forgotten the completion of his 50 years' service. He told the reporter this—and delved into a rich store of memories.

"When I joined the Council there were not 1,000 clubs in England," he said, "and about 20,000 people crowded round the Kennington Oval ground to see the Cup Final.

COMING OF "NORTHERN HORDES."

"They used to put a rope round the ground, and you can guess what it was like to keep them in bounds, for just about that time came the first big challenge from the North and the crowds who used to come down were called the 'Northern hordes.' Of course the crowds became too much of a threat to that sacred cricket pitch, and the tie was moved. A few hundred pounds made up the income then. We are now dealing with tens of thousands.

"I do not think the game has definitely improved. It is very much the same, but not so leisurely, much more hectic. Training and the care of the players have made football what it is to-day.

"I would back Boscombe, a local club near where I live, to beat any team going when I first became associated with big football, and I would be prepared to back Preston North End of the old days, under modern conditions and training, to knock spots off any of the Northern clubs of to-day. The Corinthians in the late 80's and early 90's were a fine side, and I reckon the same holds good for them. They were all big fellows, and would smash their way through, and they were very clever with it too.

"As I look through all these years I have very many happy memories. You cannot put the clock back. I cannot have those years all over again, but I am glad to be among 'the boys' still, though it must be the younger generation whose task it is to carry on the game.

"Am I thinking of retiring? I cannot. I am a life member of the Football Association, the only one."

YACHTING IN ULSTER

KIRCUBBIN REGATTA.

STORMY WEATHER CURTAILS SPORT.

Only four races were sailed at Kircubbin Regatta on Friday, the stormy weather being responsible for the curtailment of the programme. The wind was S.S.W. and the circuit proved a reach, a beat, and a run. Three rounds were sailed.

The officials were:—Messrs. F. M. Allen (commodore), G. S. Nettlefield (vice-commodore), H. C. Allen (starter), T. Mahood (timekeeper), J. B. Iliff (hon. treasurer), and H. D. Gilmore (hon. secretary).

The results were as follow:—"River" Class—1, Shimna (J. L. O. Andrews), 4-47-0; 2, Laragh (Mrs. J. M. Blakiston-Houston), 44-7-25; 3, Uladh (Lord Londonderry), 4-48-37. Strule (Lord Bangor), 4-50-53; Enler (Wing-Commander Fowler), 4-53-41

Handicap for yachts not exceeding four tons—1, Rob Roy (H. P. H.), 4-29-15; Flora (C. M'Cullough), gave up.

No. 2 Class—1, Sonia (J. P. Metcalfe), 4-47-23; 2, Canary (J. O. King), 4-48-0; Davina (V. C. Blakely), gave up.

"Viking Class—Tjena (F. C. Gotto), sailed over.

RACE FOR PAID HANDS.

The Royal North of Ireland Yacht Club "Lake" class were sailed by paid hands in a race at Cultra on Friday evening. Of the eleven craft that took part the most successful were—1, Dan (J. Caldwell), 7-55-56; 2, Arrow (W. Milford), 7-56-23; 3, Garry (J. Watterson), 7-57-8; 4, Chiquita (J. M'Dowell), 7-57-15.

Officer of the day—Mr. R. E. Workman.

REFUGEE OFFICE IN LONDON

NOTED AMERICAN IN CONTROL.

It has been decided to set up a permanent office in London to deal with all problems concerning the refugees from Germany and Austria. This will be under the control of a permanent director.

The appointment has been offered to a distinguished American, who has accepted.

The organisation will be under the control of a small international committee, of which Lord Winterton will be chairman and Mr. Myron Taylor and Mr Beringer vice-chairman. There will also be representatives from one of the Scandinavian countries and from South America.

GOLF AT ROSSNOWLAGH.

There was a big entry for the Carrick-on-Shannon Canine Association Cup (flag foursomes competition) at Rossnowlagh, Co. Donegal.

The winners were Miss Hazel Abraham, Belfast, and J. A. Browne, Glasgow, and the runners-up Miss Evelyn Giff, Belfast, and Ivan Craig Lisburn.

DON'T RISK IT!

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SANDEMAN PORT

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London Diary *of an* Ulsterwoman

ULSTER people over here are looking forward with pleasure to having Sir James and Lady Cooke-Collis in London. A Corkman himself, Sir James has connections with many Ulster families, whilst through his mother he has Scottish blood in his veins.

He is a distant connection of Lord Bangor. Both are descended from the 1st Earl of Darnley, whose daughter, Lady Theodosie Bligh, married the first Earl of Glandore, from whom Sir James is descended on his father's side. The Glandore title has been extinct for more than 100 years.

The General's mother was one of the Oliphants, originally of Perthshire, a [illegible] family who suffered much for their Jacobite sympathies. There are also family connections with the Youngs of Galgorm, and Mrs. Wingfield, Sir James and Lady Cooke-Collis's only child, is married to a nephew of the Countess of Annesley, widow of the fifth Earl, and of Mrs. Molloy, of Langford Lodge.

Lady Cooke-Collis, as the wife of a soldier, has friends all over the world. She is a "good mixer" in spite of being rather reserved. I hope she and Sir James will be very happy in their new sphere.

BRITISH SUBJECTS.

I hear that one of the guests at Londonderry House at the moment is the former Austrian Baron Franckenstein who has just become a British subject and has been knighted. The Londonderrys are certainly broad-minded in their friends. Sir George Franckenstein, who was Austrian Minister in London until the "anschluss," has no love for the Nazis; the Nazi leaders Goering and Herr von Ribbentrop are also friends of Lord Londonderry. Almost at the same time as the ex-Austrian Minister became a British subject so did the former German film star, Elizabeth Bergner.

CONFERENCES.

Socially London is now beginning to die. Hostesses are making plans for their holidays; many, indeed, have gone away, and the influx of visitors from almost every part of the world is beginning. It is, too, the time of conferences. The International Federation of University Women, to which Queen's W.G.A. is affiliated, is meeting at Bedford College and has brought there some extremely interesting people.

The head of a New York college, Dean Virginia Gildersleeve, is presiding over the proceedings. An Icelandic visitor, Miss Valdimar Sdottir, has come to it primarily for the purpose of obtaining information which she feels will be of help to her in the social work she does in her country. She is also taking the opportunity of visiting the London County Councils to discover what camping facilities there are for children in this country.

THE OPEN DOOR.

The women who attend international conferences these days are, I think, very different from those who used to attend them in years gone by. They are smartly dressed, with waved hair and a facility for enjoying the simpler and less arduous pursuits of life as well as the more serious. I have been to the conference of the Open Door International at Cambridge. There were women who knew practically everything about the legislation of practically every country, women who could talk three or four languages easily and fluently, who knew the conditions in which professional and industrial men and women workers earned their living in every nation, and who could make what would seem to be a dull subject exciting. Not one of them was dowdy; all were possessed of charm.

A topic which I felt had a somewhat special significance for Northern Ireland was raised when a representative of the National Union of Women Teachers said that she had found from her teaching experience that while parents were quite happy to regard the education of their sons as of paramount importance, they did not place anything like the same importance on the value of education for their daughters. From that fact she thought a great deal of the inequalities between men and women in later life sprang.

EDUCATED MOTHERS.

In the Six Counties, where the value of education has not always been rated as high as it is to-day, there still prevails, I believe, the feeling that the higher education of women is largely an economic waste, because so many women marry and do not turn education to practical use. Apart from it being an entirely wrong interpretation of education to regard it as something which can be used solely for the purposes of making a living, there is the argument which Sir Richard Livingstone, a former Vice-Chancellor of Queen's, always used to put forward. It was that it was a very good thing to have a nation of educated mothers.

The question of food has a universal appeal. It was raised at Girton, where Mrs. Elizabeth Abbott dealt with it. She is a woman who has travelled as far as India, Australia, New Zealand, and practically all over Europe, and who during the war raised by her appeals colossal sums for women's hospitals. She exploded the idea that women needed less to eat than did men, and quoted various scientific authorities to prove that they needed every bit as much, and of some foodstuffs, especially those which contained calcium and iron, they needed more.

Mother can have a good holiday—If she lets the children amuse themselves

A Woman Pioneer In Dentistry

BY RHONA

THE first woman to qualify as a dental surgeon, Mrs. L. Lindsay, is one of the visitors attending the Dental Conference in Belfast. Not her first visit; 30 years ago she came to Ulster when the dentists last conferred in Belfast.

I did not meet her then, but I doubt if she was any younger in mind and broader in outlook than she is to-day. Mrs. Lindsay has that evasive quality we call personality, she is full of vitality, and she has played a vital part in the history of dentistry.

It appeared to me that she receives full honours amongst her fellow dentists for that part. Modest, she would not talk about herself, though she and Miss Miller, of Cumberland, another dentist, recalled experiences in Edinburgh.

Miss Miller was there several years after Mrs. Lindsay had left. She, therefore, benefited by the latter's pioneer work. For, rejected by all English schools of dentistry, Mrs. Lindsay went to Edinburgh.

That it was "some undertaking", Mrs. Lindsay would not—could not—deny; even Miss Miller acknowledged it was so in her later day. That they received nothing but kindness and consideration from teachers and fellow-students alike, each lady was most emphatic.

Mrs. Lindsay especially probably owes her happy recollections of student days largely to the fact that she never went to Edinburgh prepared to "fight her way" into dentistry. Even to-day it takes two to make a fight.

"I used to laugh with the men when anything unusual or strange to me occurred," she said, "and I took everything as a matter of course."

One can well imagine that she did. The result was summed up by Miss Miller—

"We dentists never had to go through what the women doctors had to face," she said.

How much of that good feeling was due to the pioneer woman dentist, Mrs. Lindsay? For 25 years she practised as a dentist. She also married a dentist, who after some years became secretary of the Dental Association.

Though she perhaps did not realise it at the time, it was a momentous change for her. Books had begun to accumulate—and she took on the voluntary task of librarian, "as a matter of course."

Her studies turned more and more to the history of dentistry. To-day she is recognised as the foremost authority on this subject. Like all—men or women—who have achieved much, she is utterly modest and unassuming.

Mrs. Lindsay is reading a paper on Tuesday morning—she has not allowed history to obscure her view of up-to-date practical dentistry. I was sorry I had no opportunity of talking to Miss L. M. Clinch, of London, who is the only lady in the programme of demonstrators.

Our own non-professional ladies at home are determined that the visitors, whether dentists or not, shall enjoy their visit to Ulster. The programme drawn up by the Ladies' Committee for those not attending the business meetings is an excellent one, and does credit to the organisers. Mrs. Bennett is chairman of the Ladies' Committee, Mrs. H. T. A. M'Keag vice-chairman, Mrs. J. C. Smyth hon. treasurer, and Mrs. James Lyons and Mrs. W. Marshall Swan share the duties of hon. secretary.

FRESH AND COOL

by Marion Morton

Keeping cool and looking fresh and sweet is a great art in hot summer weather, but it can be done—especially if you have a cool and calm sort of temperament.

The preparation for the display of this art begins in the early morning, with your bath. Do not have a cold one, however, because this only brings the blood to the surface of the skin eventually, and makes you warmer afterwards. A tepid bath is best, and while it should be unhurried, still it should be really thorough, as it is essential to remove all the perspiration and acids which have formed during the night from the pores.

Then, when you have patted your skin dry, a dusting of special deodorant powder will keep you fresh throughout the day. Foot powder should also be sprinkled on the soles of the feet and between the toes before putting on your stockings.

Use the very lightest creams and skin foods and be very careful to keep the skin as free as possible from creams during the night.

Some women like to avoid the use of creams altogether during the summer months and to use light lotions instead, for cleaning, nourishing, and also for make-up foundation.

Be sure to have a cleaning lotion, slightly tonic in effect—there are many such on the market—handy for clearing the face of make-up now and then during the day. You will find that a quick clean-up of the skin and a fresh make-up is and looks wonderfully refreshing.

Unless you are frankly bronzed, then make your skin look as cool and fair as possible by using make-up in a slightly lighter tone than usual. Your lipstick can be fairly vivid, but rouge and eye-shadow should be almost non-existent during a hot spell.

And, above all, lay aside your heavy winter perfumes and use instead the lightest and freshest fragrance which you can discover.

IDEAS AND INSPIRATIONS

Which lighten the Housewife's Task

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Floating Flowers.

WHEN you want your dining table to look specially pretty, do try the effect of small flowers floating in finger-bowls.

The flowers should be quite tiny to have the right effect. You may be able to find one or two buds among your smaller rambler roses either used singly or made into a wee posy with a stalk or two of pale blue lobelia, or pink geranium, or any other very tiny flower which you can find in the garden.

Yellow or mauve violas, or vivid nasturtium heads used singly, without stalks, are also attractive floating on the surface of the water.

Cold Mushroom Savoury.

Mushrooms on toast may not, by any means, be a new dish, but perhaps the following is a new method of serving them.

It is, by the way, a cold dish instead of the more usual hot one. The mushrooms should be cooked in a very slow oven, in a covered fireproof dish with a little butter under them.

They should also be seasoned well with salt and pepper. When done, allow to get cold and chop very fine.

Mix with rather thick cream and spread thickly over pieces of cold buttered toast, cut into fancy shapes.

A Gleam For Brass.

When next you want to polish copper or brass quickly and efficiently, it is a good plan to warm it just before polishing.

Ornaments may be put in a cool oven for a few minutes or filled with hot water while they are being polished.

If, afterwards, they are rubbed with a faint suspicion of colourless furniture cream, on a clean cloth, they will retain their shine for quite a long time.

Cool, Summer Pyjamas.

The new short-legged pyjamas are beautifully cool for summer wear.

The tops are made on shirt lines with open, V-shaped necks, having little revers folded back, and small, neat puffed sleeves.

They are joined at the waist to little shorts and a sash adorns the waistline.

These pyjamas are lovely in satin, embroidered in a design of diamonds on the bodice, worked in self-colour.

In crepe-de-chine they look well decorated with a drawn thread design. And they are also cool and fresh-looking in satin-finished, silk jersey fabric.

Just Like Clogs.

New shoes for evening wear are very quaint and unusual this season. Some of them look something like clogs, but on the foot they do not appear in the least clumsy and look just right with dresses of the Grecian type.

There are black crepe-de-chine clog-like sandals, with built-up soles, covered in the crepe and decorated with embroidered coloured flowers.

Similar "clogs" are also embroidered in sequins.

White ones glitter with emerald, red and golden sequins in a most enchanting manner. Very striking, too, is a pair of "clogs" made of scarlet satin striped in gilt kid.

Or Have Glass Heels.

But perhaps you prefer something in which you can dance more easily.

In this event you will probably prefer sandals with high heels, and normal soles.

Very comfortable are the models which have heels and heel-pieces of satin, while the remainder is of open-work plaited kid straps. White satin and silver kid are combined in this manner.

Glass heels are new and smart, too, and a pair of glass-heeled sandals, with scarlet crepe-de-chine heel and toe-pieces is very striking.

Silver and gold cords are also used to form the sandal tops, while the heels are of either silver or gold kid.

OUR SPELLING BEE FINAL.

DEFEAT OF ARMY TEAM

BY CIVIC REPRESENTATIVES

NEITHER HAD A CLEAN SHEET.

The Military met their Waterloo at the Classic Cinema on Friday evening when Belfast Corporation Officials secured a 16-12 win in the final of the Spelling Bee under the auspices of the "Belfast Telegraph."

The house was packed to capacity and at the close both teams received thunderous applause—not to mention prizes presented by Mr. T. H. Macdermott, manager of the cinema. He expressed thanks to the "Telegraph" for promoting the tourney which, he said, had proved an unqualified success.

The Military team, drawn from the Staff and Depts. Northern Ireland District Command (Victoria Barracks), were warned at the outset that in the event of failure they would be running the risk of being pensioned off by Mr. Hore-Belisha on the score of age.

THE LIGHTER SIDE.

Laughter then greeted the reading of a section of the Army regulations by a member of the team as follows:—"Any officer or soldier who, when in the presence of the enemy displays a white flag or other symbol in anticipation, or in token, of surrender, will be tried by general court-martial; and (2) every person subject to military law who in action or previous to going into action uses words calculated to create alarm or despondency shall be liable to suffer penal servitude."

The Corporation Officials proved models of consistency and but for misspelling two words they would have equalled their 100 per cent. record in a previous round. One of the lady members of the team said she could not spell, yet she succeeded with lachrymose without weeping, diphthong, and viridescent. The winners succeeded with appellant, apparel, braggadocio, and antediluvian, before slipping up on eleemosynary. They then went further ahead with desiccated, whirligig, alphabetically, phthisis, cataclysm and the difficult word recalcitrance, the spelling of which earned a cheer. Buccaneer, alkalescent, and apocalypse were overcome, but lillibullero, which the umpire defined as a song popular at the end of the 17th century and still popular, especially in Derry, failed a competitor who made the mistake of not doubling the "l" at the end of the word.

SOLDIERS STARTED WELL.

The Military made a good start with [illegible], posthumous, obeisance, and [illegible], but then went down on three words in a row—shrievalty, shalloon, and namby-pamby. After succeeding with [illegible], assassin just about assassinated the next competitor. He started off [illegible] but there was an audible "Oh!" from the audience. He then decided to double the first "s," but failed to double the second "s," and the umpire was heard to advantage when he rendered a [illegible] solo.

Bacchanalia and scarcity were given correctly, but tourniquet stumped the next competitor. The hero who spelled whippoorwill correctly earned an ovation from the audience. Towards the end the Military improved, and after [illegible] with groyne they had episcopacy, [illegible], nympholepsy, and weever correct.

PRIZES PRESENTED.

Mr. Macdermott having congratulated the teams, spoke of the interest the competition had created. He introduced the competitors individually and presented the prizes.

Corporation Officials' team consisted of Miss D. Hogan, Miss M. M'Aleese, Messrs. D. Jamison, J. H. Gilory, N. Douglas, and J. C. M'Dowell.

The losers' team was:—Warrant Officers Wingrove and Eaton of the Army Educational Corps; Corporal White, Corporal Rogers, L.-Corporals Clark and Rawson.

FEUD "ARMISTICE'S" TRAGIC END.

WILD SCENE AT WEDDING.

BRIDEGROOM KILLED IN FIGHT.

ISTANBUL, Saturday.—A wedding which was to bring together two clans, which for many years have been separated by a blood feud, has ended in a fight during which the bridegroom was killed.

Several members of two families of wood-cutters, living in the wilderness of Southern Anatolia, had been killed in a blood feud which had been going on for many years.

The families at last decided to become reconciled, and a wedding between the daughter and the son of the two clan chiefs was arranged.

There was a large wedding party, and members of both clans feasted merrily side by side.

Suddenly there was a quarrel, and a fight began. Guests attacked one another with knives, pistols, rifles, bottles—anything which came to hand.

When at last the guests were separated it was found that the bridegroom had been killed. Three other villagers died also, and a large number were injured.

Now the ringleaders of the quarrel have been arrested by the police, who are to deport them to villages thousands of miles from their homes.—Reuter.

THE MALTA CONSTITUTION.

NEW PROPOSALS NOT FAVOURED.

The general reaction in Malta to the British Government's new form of Constitution for the island is unfavourable, states the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post" correspondent.

Though it was not expected that the new Constitution would be as liberal as that of 1921, it was generally believed that Malta would now be granted something at least approaching the 1921 system.

The proposed Constitution is regarded as a palliative which will serve no purpose.

Both the language clause and that relating to the clergy will be openly or secretly welcomed by the predominant majority and fought tooth and nail by the Mizzian minority.

The new plan comes as a great disappointment. It is keenly felt in Malta that once the principle of representation is conceded the Maltese people should have the right to elect all their representatives.

NEW GOVERNOR OF MALTA.

The Colonial Office announces that the King has approved the appointment of Mr. John Adams Hunter (Colonial Administrative Service, Malay) to be Lieut. Governor of Malta in succession to Sir Harry Luke, C.M.G., who has recently been appointed Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Fiji, and High Commissioner for the Western Pacific.

NEW CURATE FOR COOTEHILL.

Rev. Thomas Maguire, C.C., Brushey, Cavan, and chairman of County Cavan County Committee G.A.A., has taken up duty as curate in Cootehill. Father Maguire accompanied the County Cavan G.A.A. team on its two visits to America.

This Week's News in Pictures. See the "Weekly Telegraph."

CYCLISTS' CLIMBING ADVENTURE

IN FOG ON MERRICK HILL.

SAID TO HAIL FROM BELFAST.

Three touring cyclists, understood to hail from Belfast district—Michael Lafferty, Pat O'Donnell and Arthur O'Hagan—visiting Girvan (Ayrshire) yesterday decided to climb Merrick Hill (2,764 feet), one of the highest hills in Ayrshire.

They proceeded to Barr, a little village at the foot of the hill, and after leaving their cycles at a shepherd's cottage proceeded on their climb.

A dense fog, however, suddenly enveloped them as they were nearly at the top and for four hours they were completely lost.

When they did eventually reach level ground they could not locate the shepherd's hut and another hour elapsed before they discovered it.

They returned to Girvan late in the afternoon and later left for Stranraer. They were none the worse for their adventure.

DR. E. M. LINDSAY,
astronomer at Armagh Observatory, who has been appointed lecturer in astronomy at Queen's University, Belfast.

BURGLARS FRUSTRATED.

WOMAN RUSHES TO DIAL "999."

The plucky action of two women frustrated an attempt by three men to rob a house in Hale Lane, Edgware, on Friday.

The three men had forced a door on the ground floor at the rear of the house when the occupier—Mrs. T. Bevan—came in with her friend, Mrs. F. Richardson.

They saw the men in the house, and Mrs. Richardson rushed to the 'phone to dial "999.

After she had picked up the telephone one of the men struck her, knocking the 'phone from her hand but they were afraid that the alarm had been given and made off without taking anything.

BELFAST MAN'S FATAL SEIZURE.

While transacting some business in a City bank this morning, Thomas Woods, whose address is given as Durham Street Post Office, Belfast, had a seizure.

Bank officials and customers attended to Mr. Woods, who was then rushed to the Royal Victoria Hospital. He was, however, dead on admission.

DENTAL CONGRESS.

ASSEMBLY AT BELFAST CASTLE.

FIRST OF SOCIAL REUNIONS.

COMPANY NUMBERED ALMOST 400.

The first of the social functions connected with the visit of the British Dental Association to Belfast, after an interval of 30 years, was held last evening in Belfast Castle. The invitations were issued in the names of the President, Mr. Marshall Kennedy, Londonderry, and members of the Northern Ireland Branch of the Association.

It was an interesting as well as a smart and fashionable gathering. Facilities for dancing were provided, but many of the guests—who numbered nearly 400—did not dance. They preferred to walk or sit about renewing friendships and making acquaintance with others attending the conference. The lounge and corridors as well as the refreshment rooms, where a running buffet was open all evening, made the Castle an ideal setting for such a function.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Kennedy received the guests. Her well-cut gown of black georgette was Edwardian in design, the neck cut square, and across the corsage was a spray of orchids.

Mr. Bryan Wood, Kettering, outgoing President of the Association, was accompanied by Mrs. Wood and their daughter; Mr. Herbert Elwood., Belfast, the new President, had his sister, Mrs. Bennet, with him. Mrs. Wood's gown of delphinium blue lace was mounted on satin, insets of multi-colour and a spray of pink roses making effective finish.

Mrs. Bennett's gown was also of lace, the colour iris blue. The velvet scarf was to tone, and in her hair was a wreath of flowers. Miss Sheila Wood was wearing a charming frock of satin and chiffon in lettuce green.

One of the principal guests was Dr. W. Guy, who is mainly responsible for the development of the Dental School of Edinburgh. Another was Professor Amies, President of the Australian Dental Association, who was accompanied by Mrs. Amies, a slim figure in black with straps of cire and an ostrich cape of black and white.

A distinguished lady dentist was Mrs. L. Lindsay, hon. librarian of the Association, and an authority upon dental history. She wore some delicate white lace with her black gown.

Another dentist, Miss Miller, of Cumberland, was in reversible satin in nut brown, the bodice draped, the skirt ending in a short train. Miss Clinch, of London, is also professional; her black gown was beaded in black and white, and her colleague, Miss Lamb, of Sunderland, was wearing rust-coloured cloque.

Mrs. Kemball, Edinburgh, had a gown of georgette and lace in black, the only relief a rope of pearls; Mrs. H. St. J. Stedman, London, was also in a becoming gown of black lace, with red roses on the corsage.

Mrs. Leslie Campion, Norwich, had a very handsome satin gown in Paisley design, the predominant colour reseda green, and Mrs. W. Senior, London, wife of the secretary, was wearing a dainty floral picture frock in blue and silver.

Mrs. W. Marshall Swan's satin gown was in oyster shade and embroidered in coloured beads. Mrs. W. D. Martin, one of the local Ladies' Committee, had a frock of white Richelieu embroidery handsomely finished with royal blue and a royal blue coatee, and her sister, Miss Charles, was wearing a broche Edwardian frock of mottled gold satin.

Miss Rankin, another committee member, was in black velvet with puff sleeves of pale blue and silver. Mrs. H. T. A. M'Keag, who is vice-president of the local Ladies' Committee, was in a handsome brocade gown of silver and blue, and Miss Constance Lloyd came in black taffeta with multi-coloured embroidery at the waistline and a coronet of silver.

Mrs. W. W. D. Thompson's two-piece gown was of ivory and grey chiffon with hip length coat; Mrs. George Hamilton came in a floral chiffon picture frock in tones of peach, and Dr. Dorothy Fulton's handsome poult frock was in two shades of pink with matching scarf of chiffon.

Mrs. J. R. Young was wearing a georgette gown of black with facings of silver satin. Mrs. Trevor Montgomery was also in black, her draped cape lined with salmon pink, and Mrs. Chas. Mathews was in black taffeta strapped in narrow bands of velvet.

Guests included Dr. George Northcroft, London, chairman of the Dental Board; Lieut.-Colonel Douglass, Sydney; Mr. Carl Schelling and Mr. and Mrs. Warner, all three from London; Mr. Joseph Woods, Liverpool; Mr. D. L. Rodgers, Dean of the Dental Hospital, Dublin; Mr. A. Cockburn, Dublin; Mr. Leslie Campion, Norwich; Mr. W. Senior, London; Mr. and Mrs. Helmer, London; Dr. Friel, Dublin; Mr. Kemball, Edinburgh; Mr. H. St. J. Stedman, London; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh M'Cormick; Dr. George Hamilton, Mr. Trevor Montgomery, Mr. W. D. Martin, Mr. Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Riordan, Mr. and Mrs. Menzies Campbell, Glasgow, Mr. Rowlett, Leicester.

The music was supplied by Alec Monaghan and his orchestra, and during an interval Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Thompson sang duets.

The catering was excellently carried out by the Belfast Castle staff.

LONDON ZOO'S NEW PETS.

RED HOWLER MONKEY

AND PAIR OF LARGEST BEARS.

Two important newcomers are expected to arrive at the London Zoo early next month, writes "H.M.S." in the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post." They are a pair of giant bears from Kodiak Island, off the coast of Alaska, presented by Mr. Alfred Ezra, a generous donor to the Zoo and a prominent member of the Zoo Council.

The Zoo has long wanted to complete its collection of bears by acquiring examples of the largest and most powerful members of the family, and last autumn it was hoped that a pair of Kodaik bears would be received from the Moscow Zoo. Instead, the Zoo received a pair of young bears representing a particularly large species of Polar bear.

This time, however, the genuine Kodiak bear is to be exhibited at the Zoo. Found only on Kodiak Island, it is an immense bear similar to a grizzly, but much taller, broader, and more powerful, and a fully-grown specimen may attain a length of 14 feet and over. The Berlin Zoo has a Kodiak bear standing 12 feet high, and the pair expected at the London Zoo are stated to be over 10 feet.

Two other interesting new arrivals from South America are to be placed on view at the Zoo this week-end ready for the Bank Holiday visitors. They are a South American maned wolf and a red howler monkey.

CAR ON FIRE IN GARAGE.

EXCITEMENT AT PORTSTEWART.

A motor-car the property of Mr. M'Veigh went on fire in a garage at Strand Road Portstewart, this morning. It was got out to the roadway and the flames extinguished. Coleraine Fire Brigade rushed to the scene but their services were not required.

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LION QUINS BORN AT BELLEVUE.

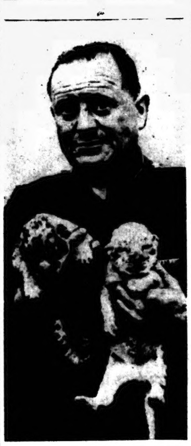
MOTHER'S 14LB. MEAL.

WITH HALF-GALLON OF MILK

FATHER PATROLLING THE NURSERY

An interesting event took place at Bellevue Zoo on Tuesday last, namely, the birth of five baby lions to Peggy, recently imported lioness.

Peggy is a particularly fine specimen of a lioness, and was acquired by Mr. Foster, the head keeper, early this year from the Continent during his tour in search of new stock for the Bellevue Zoo.



THE HEAD KEEPER WITH TWO OF THE CUBS.

On arrival she was mated with Nero, a splendid forest-bred lion, and this is the first family. The quins were born in a specially-constructed den, which was devised and made by the staff, and utmost precautions have been taken to prevent a repetition of the lamentable occurrence of last week.

PEGGY AND FAMILY DOING WELL.

Peggy and family are doing well, and the writer found the former leisurely chewing her way through 14lbs. of best beef, which would afterwards be washed down by half a gallon of Grade "A" milk. The cubs depend upon their mother for nourishment during the first six weeks of their life, after which they are gradually put on a diet of minced beef, eggs, goats' milk, and a small portion of cod liver oil.

Nero, the father, was patrolling on guard round the cage near the nursery, and the expression in his eye seemed to indicate that he was both pleased and proud.

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CYCLIST HURT IN COLERAINE.

While cycling on the Portrush Road at Coleraine this morning George Smyth, an elderly bank caretaker, was involved in a collision with a motor-car. He sustained an injury to his head and was treated at Ratheane Hospital, but was not detained.

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GROWTH OF BELFAST.

THE statistics obtained through the Census taken in Belfast in 1937, which have now been made public, contain much matter of interest. The population of the city has continued to grow, and last year it reached a total of 438,086, being an increase of nearly 23,000 in the eleven years which elapsed since the previous Census in 1926. We must take into account that there has been a large outflow of inhabitants to districts outside the municipal boundary, where extensive suburbs have been growing up in Glengormley, Finaghy, and elsewhere. But for that movement during the past twenty-six years the annual surplus of births over deaths would have swelled the total number of city dwellers possibly to half-a-million or more. There has been an increase in the number of married persons but a reduction in the size in families, a tendency which is visible in all parts of the country to-day. In eight of the fifteen wards of the city—Clifton, Duncairn, Falls, Ormeau, Pottinger, St. Annes, Victoria, and Windsor—increases are recorded. In seven others—Court, Cromac, Dock, St. George's, Shankill, Smithfield, and Woodvale—there have been decreases. Wards like Clifton, for example, where there is ample room for expansion on the outskirts, and much building has been going on on the slopes rising above the city, are in this respect differently situated from those which are more or less closed in by various barriers. It is satisfactory to learn that there has been a marked improvement in regard to housing accommodation. The subletting of rooms in private houses has been greatly reduced, the proportion being less than three per cent. at the time of the Census, about a third of the rate in 1926. The number of families of two or more persons occupying a single room has fallen since the previous Census from 2,037 to 760, and the number of families of six or more living in one room has fallen from 120 to 43. There is other ample evidence that the shortage of houses which existed down to 1926 has been substantially relieved.

The part of the Census dealing with the religious beliefs of the inhabitants contains some notable features. For the first time since 1861 the number of adherents of the Church of Ireland is the largest of those of any religious denomination in Belfast. They totalled 140,310 in 1937 as against 133,310 in 1926. The Presbyterian Church now takes second place, having lost its former lead, and seems to be at a standstill. Its membership in 1937 was 137,939 as against 137,384 in 1926. The Roman Catholic Church, which holds third place, shows the largest increase, the number of its members having risen from 95,682 to 104,372, and its percentage of the population is now 23.8. Membership of the Methodist Church has risen from 25,701 to 29,966. The figures given require some comment. In the early years of last decade the total number of members of the Church of Ireland in Ulster received a certain addition from an influx from the South, but much of this was distributed over the Province, and settled in areas outside the Belfast boundary. To some extent the growth of the Church of Ireland population in the city may be attributed to the work of organisations such as Trinity College Mission which have been active in promoting the creation of new parishes. The growth in the Roman Catholic population appears to be mainly attributable to the larger size of families among adherents of that Church. At the same time, when taken along with the building of new churches and schools in various parts of the city it is difficult to reconcile with the complaints of oppression and unfair treatment which are so frequently made on behalf of that section of the community in Belfast and elsewhere in the Province. The report, as a whole, may be considered highly creditable to the municipal authorities and the people of Belfast, especially the manner in which the housing problem has been dealt with. The city has now over 106,000 houses as compared with 84,667 in 1926, and need not fear comparison in this respect with what has been done elsewhere. Its housing is far ahead of Dublin, Glasgow, and other places where slum tenements abound.

Thoughts For The Times.

THE BALANCE OF THINGS

THE summer with its holiday opportunities is an excellent time for practising a stronger meditation upon life, for looking back upon one's past history and gathering up those verdicts of wisdom in which Life, that great counsellor, excels.

A useful accompaniment of this practice is the reading of some really good history, such, for example, as Andrè Maurois's "Miracle of England." The two will supplement each other, the one yielding the fruit of personal experience, the other of national experience.

One sure verdict of both will be that there is an extraordinary balance in life. Emerson called it the law of compensation; Jesus turned it into the golden rule; experience writes it upon our lives day after day.

One of the most amazing instances of it is to be found in the story of the patriarch Jacob, who began his life, you may remember, by deceiving his father Isaac and stealing Esau's birthright blessing. He speedily found his home was too hot for him and fled to his uncle, Laban, whom he served for seven years with the expectation of winning the beautiful younger daughter, Rachel, for his bride.

At last the wedding day came and he was married, and he lifted hopefully the veil that covered his bride's face, only to discover that he had been served with Leah instead! The balance had been restored in his experience; as he had dealt, so did he receive.

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IT is curious that these judgments and rewards that arise as part of life's balancing process should come so indirectly upon us. It is seldom that our actions are answered immediately in kind, the good with the good, or the evil with the evil. There is a lapse of time, sometimes very long, and the angle of return is different, so that only conscience can identify the justice.

There may be many reasons for this, but one of them is plainly discernible. Such a process of direct balancing is a constant stimulus and challenge to that moral quality of the soul which we call faith. If virtue were rewarded with its wages promptly and misbehaviour had its knuckles rapped every time, we should be the merest wage-slaves of virtue. Our goodness would be rotted with bribery and our faith in the right and the true and the good, which is the soul of virtue, would never be tested and hence never developed.

Besides, moral judgment is not so easy as all that, the wages either of virtue or of sin cannot be so automatically reckoned. Suppose 50 per cent. of the virtue is playing for safety and 50 per cent. of the sin is due to bad training, then the recoil of events may well need to be tempered and graded in order to amend the defect of virtue and to resolve the twist in development.

God's moral government of mankind may be expected to be a little too subtle for our ready-reckoner methods, if it is to be adequate enough for justice.

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THERE are other fascinating aspects of this truth. Readers and lovers of Rudyard Kipling's "Kim" will remember the Buddhist priest in the story who, being set upon in the mountains by robbers, asks himself the searching question, "What is there wrong with me spiritually, or in my behaviour that I should attract myself to this calamity?" This is certainly an original way of looking at the wrongs that are done to one's own person, and if it were commonly followed, those twin mischiefs, resentment and revenge, would speedily cease their deadly work.

Interpreted on its brighter side, this balance in things means that we can at once begin to build for ourselves an inheritance of good if we will at once begin to put the best into life. If we will cast the bread of a true goodwill and service upon the waters of life, it will return unto us, though it may be after many days—and often with a hundredfold increase. Jesus is full of this teaching.

We experience God's forgiveness, He teaches, when we ourselves truly forgive our fellows. We can know God if we will only bravely play Providence to other lives. "With what measure ye mete, it shall be measured to you again."

It will be the wisdom of life then for each of us to begin at once to become to others all that we would have the world be to us.

DR. A. D. BELDEN.

Uncommon Sense

The Men in White—By JOHN BLAKE.

BRAIN waves are as well known to-day as brain surgeons. At a recent meeting of the American Psychiatric Association in San Francisco scientists contributed more knowledge to this dramatic subject. Two men from the St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Washington, Dr. Robert Cohn and Dr. Karl Langenstrass read a report on a "hitherto unknown super-wave of electricity that pulses in beats of from ten to 30 minutes in the human brain when certain conditions of chemical disturbance are present in the body." The two Washington scientists showed the brain to be a more complex wave generator than was formerly supposed. They found that the brain can change its poles from time to time like a direct current generator which switches into reverse from full speed.

At that meeting two Harvard Scientists, Dr. Hallowell Davis and Mrs. Pauline Davis read the results of a three-year investigation covering more than 500 cases. Mrs. Davis, who read the report, told of one case in which a study of the pattern of waves revealed a brain tumor. She was able to locate its exact location which was checked by the X-ray.

The modern doctor's laboratory is all that the dramatist could desire. In the brainwave investigations the patient has two electrodes placed on his head before and behind. From the results obtained elaborate charts and graphs are plotted. Dr. Faustus' collection of test-tubes and retorts would look tame compared to the ammeters and electrical devices employed.

To the medical man it is an everyday procedure, but to the uninitiated the layout looks for all the world like the work shop of Frankenstein, or some master criminal scientist. And when the layman is told that brain waves are being measured it sounds even more mystifying.

Ever since the days when the tribal medicine man put on an extra set of feathers and pulled a leopard skin over his head, the doctor has had a certain amount of mystery about him. The modern men in white seem to live and move in a separate and more dramatic world than the rest of us. The medicine man used to make up unearthly chants, and speak in strange mutterings. The modern doctor employs fantastic words and unusual phrases when he goes into action. The medicine man had his impressive-looking tools, complicated gadgets, and potent drugs. The present-day man of medicine has his array of shining sterilized implements, his array of chemicals, his instruments.

And so far as the rest of us are concerned, we take them just as seriously as our forefathers ever heeded the witch doctors. We quail before their diagnoses. We raise our hopes when they give the encouraging nod which says the patient will live.

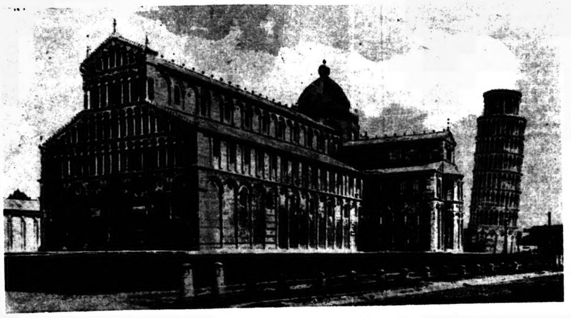
ITALIAN HOLIDAY MEMORIES

BELFASTMAN'S IMPRESSIONS

MY main difficulty in attempting to describe even a fraction of the many interesting places I saw and people I met during a motor tour round Italy will be one of space. It has been said that those who have yet to see certain parts of this wonderful country, particularly Naples and Venice, are in much the same position as those who have yet to see Paradise. Having seen one, I must confess to being in no urgent haste to see the other. My desire is to return to Italy first.

Following nights at Paris, Dijon and Sion, and only four days after leaving London, we reached Milan, with its beautiful cathedral, a jewel of architecture and containing the famous picture "The Last Supper" by Leonardo da Vinci. By way of contrast we visited the Scala Opera House, which is the largest in the world.

After a day at Genoa, the chief port, and one of the most important towns in Italy, we arrived at Pisa with its wonderful treasures of art, where the Cathedral, Baptistery, Leaning Tower, and the Campo Santo stand against the background of the old XII century walls.



THE CELEBRATED BAPTISTERY AND LEANING TOWER OF PISA.

☆ THE majority of the visitors were greatly interested in the Leaning Tower. Begun in 1174 by Bonnano Pisano, it is made of six galleries, with thirty small columns, each to match the facade of the Duomo, and finishes at the belfry, which does not follow the leaning of the tower, but stands almost vertical.

There are several versions as to the cause of the leaning of the tower, so I will tell the one the guide told me.

The ground gave way during an interval in the building; it was discovered by the architects on resuming the work, and purposely not rectified. It is, by the way, 4.265 metres out of the perpendicular.

And so to Rome in time for dinner. Capital of the ancient world, centre of art, literature, and the development of political thought, indelible traces of her glorious past are everywhere to be found.

Schooldays again flitted before our memory and we realised how much we had forgotten of what extremely patient masters, often in vain, endeavoured to teach us about Caesar; Augustus; Nero; and Hadrian.

☆ WHICH is the part of Rome that visitors wish most to see, or wish first to see? Whether they be Protestant or Catholic, the answer probably is St. Peter's, the largest cathedral in the world, and the Vatican City, the Pope's independent state.

No single article could do justice to the glories of the art treasures, statuary, frescoes, and priceless pictures, so I shall not even attempt to do so, because each visitor must wander with individual taste For instance, one could spend days looking at the works of Michael Angelo, and the biggest crowd of visitors was gathered around his masterpiece, "The Last Judgment," on which he lovingly spent seven years.

Space does not permit the pen pictures due the Forum, one of Rome's principal possessions, with its vast series of ruins of temples, the Colosseum with its massive blocks of stones, and its rows of beautiful arches, or of the Catacombs, with their eerie atmosphere, through which I was escorted by an Irish priest, greatly interested in Downpatrick.

There is an old saying "See Naples and die." I almost did so, because of the fact that there is no speed limit in Italy, and those bent on sight-seeing have to keep one eye on the scenery, and the other on very fast-moving automobiles!

Naples, the largest town in Italy, occupies perhaps the most beautiful position in the world. Those who have visited Constantinople will dispute this assertion, but Naples, with its glorious bay, and its wonderful view of Vesuvius, is an unforgettable sight.

Italy offers nothing more tempting than the view of the smoke from Vesuvius curling up to the deep blue of the sky.

We left the car and made an excursion by steamer to the Isle of Capri, "The Pearl of the Mediterranean," concerning which I have a hazy idea of hearing something coming over the wireless in the form of a song. Bold cliffs rise from the waters of sapphire and the terraces of hills, with blooming groves of oranges, and flowers, make an arresting sight.

by

JOHN PARKER

Then, of course, there is the marvellous Blue Grotto, which can be entered only by small boats, and where the rocky vaulting glistens with a beautiful pale blue light.

A town packed with old world charm is Assisi, with its monumental church of St. Maria degli Angeli, where attention is focused in the central chapel where St. Francis died on 4th October, 1226. We had the privilege of seeing paintings which represent the dawn of Italian art, and render the place truly venerable.

When we reached the hotel, late at night, everybody seemed to be outside engrossed by thousands of fireflies, wonderful little insects giving forth a brilliant light, which nobody seemed anxious to desert for bed.

The following night was spent at Perugia. Perched on the top of a steep hill, it stands out amidst the luxuriant vegetation. Traces of the most varied epochs of civilisation are to be found in its walls and its buildings. Here, too, one sees fine pictures of the Venetian and Umbrian schools, and valuable wood carvings and inlaid work.

City of flowers and one of the most artistic centres in the world, Florence, on the Arno, has been aptly described as one huge museum of monuments and works of art.

Here we were shown the famous Pitti Palace with the masterpieces of Michael Angelo, Cellini and Raphael; the house where Dante lived, Machiavelli's Palace, the cathedral in Roman style and the Baptistery with famous bronze doors.

En route to Venice we passed through scenery of unrivalled loveliness before descending to Bologna, seat of the famous Italian university. On entering the spacious library I was suddenly brought back to earth, for the first volume my eye caught was "Willing's Press Guide." This was a most unpleasant reminder of work, and who can blame me for rushing away from this seat of learning?

It was perhaps fitting that our last stage of a memorable tour should be Venice, the captivating loveliness and unique charm, of which has thus been described by Shelley:—

"The silent streets are paved with water, and you hear nothing but the dashing of the oars, and the occasional cries of the gondolieri. . . . . . The gondolas themselves are things of a most romantic and picturesque appearance, they curl at the prow and stern, and at the former there is a nondescript beak of shining steel which glitters at the end of its long black mass."

☆ TO me Venice was a dream. The scene on the Grand Canal is a miracle of beauty, with its sea-washed streets and sun-washed sea. It is so easy to get round, for one just takes a gondola as at home one takes a taxi. What I could not understand was why all the gondolas were painted black, but later was informed that this was according to regulation so as to prevent competitive display.

You can engage a gondolier at ten lire (about two shillings) an hour. Remember, I don't say he will pretend to be satisfied with that regulation amount, but on the other hand, did you ever hear of a satisfied taximan?

St. Mark's Cathedral, and the Doge's Palace, were crowded with interested visitors, and that is no matter for wonder for they are rich in varied interest.

It may seem churlish to mention it, but my only disappointment was the Bridge of Sighs, rendered famous in romantic poetry. There is nothing at all romantic about it, except the name, and I left with the disappointed feeling that Byron was drawing the long bow when he penned his reference to it.

☆ TO wind up, some bright spark suggested a swim at the Lido. Accompanied by a young American doctor, whom I thought was dropping his aitches when he told me his name was Arp, I did not feel like paying the price asked by the first Venetian we encountered.

Happily, a good-looking Swiss youth, also going for a swim, came to the rescue, escorted us to a steet car, which conveyed us about two hundred yards. On alighting, I enjoyed a swim at the famous resort for only three lire (about sevenpence) including trunks and a towel.

THE TWIN ISLANDS

Belfast's Playground of Bygone Era

By

WILLIAM MOORE

THE TWIN ISLANDS, or what little is left of them with the changes of recent years, and through which all steamers pass to Belfast, are very rarely mentioned nowadays, and are but a memory to a bygone generation.

Yet this used to be a favourite walk for Belfast people on fine evenings in summer and on Sundays. The "Twins" were quite easily reached, and one was always sure of a breath of fresh, sea air.

I remember when a boy the infinite variety of activities that used to be seen and heard at the "Twins." The bathing boxes at the "Point" were much patronised by the old R.I.C., and the clanging of the hammers from the two shipbuilding yards was always in evidence. Those were the days before the pneumatic rivetters.

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THEN there was the passing of the boats. The yellow-funnelled Slieve Donard and Slieve Bearnagh were popular favourites with the youthful patrons of the "Twins." Next came the black double funnels of the Viper and the red funnel of the Isle of Man boat. We knew them every one, and their times of departure. The "wash" was always an exciting adventure.

Then there was the old training ship Gibraltar which used to lie off the "Twins." How often did we envy the boys clad in sailor suits rowing steadily over to the "Gib"?

But all those interesting things have passed. The "Twins" are but a name. The road has been closed to casual walkers since the war; indeed, many of the young generation have never heard of the once-famous Belfast "islands."

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THE history of the "Twins" goes back to about a century. The River Lagan was very winding, and something had to be done to straighten it. From the old Long Bridge to the mouth of the "Twins" was like a capital S extended. The first cut was begun about 1839, and was made from Dunbar's Dock to the first bend in the river.

But long before then the second cut was projected which straightened the river to the "Twins."

There were two "Twin Islands," the West Twin, which had its back to the Cave Hill, and the East Twin to Ballymacarrett. Around the East Twin swept the curving "Old Channel," on whose north side was slobland.

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IT was only when this second cut was finished in 1849 that the "Twins" came into being. They are not "islands" in the proper sense of the word. The new cut made a straight line through and divided the slobland. But big ships had now a straight passage from Belfast Lough through the "Twins," and on every map they were known to sea-faring men as "East and West Twin Island."

For the purposes of this brief sketch the writer consulted the Ordnance Survey map of 1864 to examine the layout of the "Twins." Both Twin Islands are mentioned, and there were two lighthouses on the east island. But all around is nothing but tidal slobland. The nearest "dry land" at the west island was Thomson's bank, where there was a "Rifle Practice Ground" and bathing boxes.

But what a difference in the 1916 map. To both Twin Islands are well-made roads and evidences of shipbuilding are all around. Graving docks, marine engineering works and wharfs have all crept close to the "Twins," and no longer is there any evidence they were once "islands."

It is also interesting to note that the Belfast County Borough boundary extends from the point of the East Twin to County Down, and from the same point northwards to Greencastle in County Antrim.

Belfast is now the sixth port of the United Kingdom, and has the largest shipbuilding works in the world. What a number of magnificent ships have been built here and departed for the affairs of the world in the seven seas.

And every one of them must pass between those "islands" we know as "The Twins."

Photograph of the old Slieve Donard setting out from Queen's Bridge jetty for Bangor, which bridges many years of Belfast's development as a city to whose port come ships of all nations. The craft pictured alongside Donegall Quay are a distinct contrast to the vessels that meet modern requirements.

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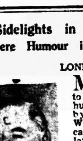

Sir Walter Womersley.

MORE than once I have referred to the "pawky" humour displayed by Sir Walter Womersley. Still I cannot miss the latest instance of it.

He was being questioned about delay in doing something. He attributed this to the law, and in a manner to which no exception could be taken he referred indirectly to his interrogator's connection with the law.

Mr. Gibson is, of course, a K.C. It is much to his credit that he should have taken Sir Walter's chaff so well. All the time he was serious, but there was a glint in his eye which showed that he appreciated the fun of the Assistant Postmaster-General.

Greece's Spot of Bother.

FEW parts of the world have had such a turbulent history in modern times as the Island of Crete, again the scene of rebellion.

In the latter decades of the last century it embodied all the barbarous strife that had always marked the peoples. Its independence was lost as clash of the Hellenic and Turkish early as 67 B.C. to Roman invaders, and ever since it has been stormily tossed from one outside Power to the other.

Under Ottoman rule revolt followed revolt with its inevitable barbarous suppression. Better conditions came with Egyptian sovereignty. In fact, although life in Crete would still be considered turbulent in Western Europe, this period, which ended with the return to Turkish rule in 1840, was known as the "Golden Age."

It was the mediation of Great Britain, in the person of the British Consul (Mr. Sandwich), that brought at last some degree of justice for the population in 1878. But the Porte continued to obstruct attempts at reform, and civil war and a Greek invasion ensued before the last Turkish soldier left the island in 1898, but it was not until 1913 that Crete was officially conceded to Greece under the the provisions of the Treaty of London.

Hatfield Fayre.

THE Marquis and Marchioness of Salisbury are staging on Bank Holiday, the old Englyshe fayre and tableaux in historic Hatfield Park. There will, however, be much to interest visitors apart altogether from the usual fun of the fair.

Part of the old Palace of Hatfield, built by Cardinal Morton in 1496, is still standing, and its courtyard is now a delightful sunken garden. The room in which the children of Henry VIII. had their lessons from Roger Ascham is still in existence, with Elizabeth's bedroom overhead.

During the reign of Mary, Elizabeth was kept, more or less, a prisoner at Hatfield House, and was not allowed to wander beyond a certain oak tree, since known as Elizabeth Oak. Many relics of her childhood are preserved, including her garden hat, her first pair of silk stockings, and her jewel cases.

The west gardens are still laid out, in the main, just as Elizabeth saw them, and with the same flowers, delphiniums, antirrhinums, lavender, stocks and roses.

Disappointment For Eire.

EIRE will be much disappointed at the decision of the Prime Minister to spend his holiday in Scotland. Of course, he always has done so, but it was expected that after the signing of the agreements with Eire he would make a change.

Mrs. Chamberlain, it appears, has relations over there, and I have heard circumstantial accounts not only of the loughs he would fish, but of the fish he might be expected to catch.

In this matter the Southern Irishmen have been counting their eggs before they were hatched, and they were preparing a great welcome for Mr. Chamberlain.

Football Longevity.

LONGEVITY seems to be an inevitable concomitant with membership of the Council of the Football Association. A glance round a meeting of the Council would at once impress the observer with the venerable well-being of most of the members.

Age also plays some part, it would seem, in deciding seniority. The oldest member of the Council is Mr. William Pickford, who has just completed 50 years' service on the Council. He is president, and succeeded the then oldest member, the late Sir Charles Clegg, who died last year at the age of 87.

The "G.O.M." of football, Sir Frederick Wall, had been on the Council for 53 years when he retired from the secretaryship in 1934. Mr. Pickford can faithfully be described as not looking his 76 years of age, and his boyish smile as he draws the teams out of the bag before each F.A. Cup round is in marked contrast to the serious mien of the man on his left, Mr. S. F. Rous, the secretary, and one of the youngest men in the room.

Mild but Earnest.

MR. Tinker is an earnest man. His fair hair is perhaps getting a little thin on top, but after all that is to be expected when you have passed the three score years.

In spite of his earnestness I am inclined to think that he is really the mildest mannered man on the Labour benches. Too many others get "het up." Mr. Tinker never does, but I have never noticed that that made the slightest difference to the effectiveness of the points he was trying to make.

A Bank Holiday Occasion.

CRICKET on the village green is a much more exciting pastime in these days of week-end motor traffic than it used to be even twenty years ago. On many of the village green pitches in Surrey a good hit to leg is attended by the grave risk of the ball landing on a passing car and travelling on to Worthing or Bognor, unless the driver of the car is incapacitated. These considerations, however, will not interfere with the annual August Bank Holiday match on Norwood Green, in Middlesex, between the "Lamb" and the "Wolf," two ancient inns standing hard by the village green.

The first match between regular customers of the rival inns was played fifty years ago, and the trophy is a [illegible] long cricket bat, which is housed in the inn of the winning team until the next contest. The original bat, on which time had taken a heavy toll, has now been replaced by a new one, but the supper of roast beef and beer which rounds off the day and the winning team, the losers paying, will not be much different from the one first taken half a century ago.

TURKEY'S FRIENDSHIP WITH BRITAIN

ON this page on Monday Carel Hautman, well-known writer on Continental affairs, deals with the romantic rise to power of Mustapha Kemal, and points to a happy augury in the relationship between Britain and Turkey.

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Memories of a Derry playwright George Farquhar, who flourished 260 years ago, are recalled by John G. Magahran, B.A.

HOUSING: RELIGION

POINTS FROM BELFAST CENSUS

PRESBYTERIANS LOSE LEAD

ROMAN CATHOLIC ADVANCE

CLIFTON WARD'S DWELLINGS

THE census details for the Belfast County Borough have just been issued in book form and make most interesting reading.

Points from the statistics are:

The increase in the population of 22,935 was equivalent to 0.5 per cent. per annum, and was only slightly higher than the average annual increase of the preceding intercensal period, which was the lowest recorded since 1861.

There are increases in eight wards, Clifton and St. Anne's having the largest with 35 per cent. each, and decreases in seven.

WARD'S 5,000 NEW HOUSES.

The number of houses has risen from 84,667 in 1926 to 106,535, an increase of 21,868.

There are nearly 5,000 additional houses in Clifton Ward.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN THE CITY HAS LOST ITS POSITION OF THE LARGEST RELIGIOUS BODY, THE CHURCH OF IRELAND BEING FIRST WITH 140,310 MEMBERS AS AGAINST 133,100 IN 1926.

Presbyterians number 137,939 as against 137,384 in 1926, and Methodists increased from 25,701 to 29,966.

The Roman Catholic Church showed the greatest increase in the period, jumping from 95,682 to 104,372, and now comprises 23.8 of the population.

FIGURES FOR CHILDREN.

THERE ARE 81,752 CHILDREN BETWEEN FIVE AND FIFTEEN YEARS IN THE CITY, AND OF THESE 22,415 ARE ROMAN CATHOLICS, AND 59,157 BELONG TO OTHER DENOMINATIONS.

THE REPORT ANALYSED

As was announced earlier, the population of the city on the date of the census was 438,086, which was more than twice the number enumerated in 1881, and more than six times that of 1841. The increase of 22,935 in the period between 1926 and 1937 was equivalent to an increase of 0.5 per cent. per annum, and was only slightly higher than the average annual increase of the preceding intercensal period, which was the lowest recorded since 1851.

The number of births registered between 1911 and 1926 was 158,671, and between 1926-37, 100,837. The number of deaths registered in the same periods were 102,094 and 66,005 respectively.

These figures are explained by the fact that during the period 1821 till 1901 the increase in population due to excess of births over deaths was considerably augmented by net movement into the city. From 1901 till 1911, and in fact for the last 26 years, the net movement has been in an outward direction, and this materially offsets the increase in population which would otherwise have been experienced from the excess of births over deaths. The present trend of population in Belfast and in the urban and rural districts within easy reach of the city indicates an increasing tendency for city workers to live either in the suburbs or country, or at the seaside.

WARD RISES AND FALLS.

Dealing with the population as related to wards, it will be found that eight of the fifteen wards show increases and the others decreases.

The more remarkable increases have taken place in Clifton and St. Anne's Wards, where the population has increased by about 35 per cent. in the eleven years.

The greatest decreases have occurred in the four wards which have the highest number of persons per acre. In order of rate of decrease they are—St. George's (with the highest rate of decrease, 16.9 per cent), Dock, Smithfield, and Court Wards. The decrease in the case of Smithfield is most marked, for it fell 12 per cent. between 1901 and 1911, and the figures now show a further decrease of 14.2. Dock has fallen 16.7 and Court 12.5.

Clifton's population has increased by 12,083; Duncairn, 4,120; Falls, 2,142; Ormeau, 5,862; Pottinger, 3,096; St. Anne's, 7,712; Victoria, 3,613; and Windsor, 1,374.

The decreases are — Court, 2,520; Cromac, 1,954; Dock, 3,497; St. George's, 3,204; Shankill, 2,356; Smithfield, 1,797; Woodvale, 1,739.

THE INCREASE IN HOUSES.

There are now 106,535 houses in the city as compared with 84,667 in 1926, an increase of 21,868, equivalent to an increase of nearly 26 per cent., as compared with a population increase in the same period of 5½ per cent. The number of unoccupied houses in 1926 was 1,714, and in 1937, 4,260.

The average number of persons per house shows a further and marked fall since 1926 from 4.45 to 4.02. The size, too, of the census family has also further decreased, and stands at a little over four persons per family.

Of the 22,000 additional houses in the city nearly 5,000 are in Clifton Ward, and Duncairn, Ormeau, Pottinger, St. Anne's and Victoria Wards have over 2,000 each.

In 1926 the families occupying one to three rooms were twice as numerous as the number of one to three roomed houses. This disparity is now very much less, but even so one family out of every three occupying accommodation of these dimensions cannot enjoy the family privacy afforded by a structurally separate dwelling.

This in itself does not necessarily indicate a shortage of houses of this size, since the figures show that 2,500 of the families occupying one to three rooms each consists of a single person.

The numbers of four and five roomed houses and families occupying four and [illegible] show increases in nearly every

SHORTAGE RELIEVED.

[illegible] increase in the number of houses [illegible] large extent relieved the housing shortage which existed in 1926, and [illegible] in the fact that the proportion of private houses sub-let in 1937 was [illegible], which rate is only a little [illegible] third of the rate for 1926. The [illegible] which sub-letting is most [illegible] are Smithfield, Court, Dock [illegible]

[illegible] crowding in one-room tenements [illegible] remarkable improvement since [illegible] number of families of two or [illegible] persons occupying a single room [illegible] fallen from 2,037 to 760.

[illegible] is a striking fall of 50 per cent. [illegible] number of hotels, lodging-houses, and their occupants, due no doubt to the number of small houses built since 1926.

The number of hospitals and nursing homes and their inmates have both increased by roughly one third.

There are 119,641 unmarried males and 132,699 unmarried females in the city, increases of 1 and 2.3 per cent., respectively; 77,891 males and 80,656 females are married, the increase percentages being 12 and 12.5 respectively. Widowed and divorced males number 8,006, and females 19,193, increases again of 6.8 and 5.8 per cent., respectively.

The tendency for the proportion of the population at the older ages to increase and the proportion at the young ages to decrease still continues.

THE CHURCHES.

More than ordinary interest concentrates on the religious divisions of the population of the city.

The Church of Ireland has jumped into the lead as being the strongest numerically. In 1926 its members numbered 133,100 and in 1937 the figures were 140,310, but this includes 5,801 members of the Church of England and 12 of the Episcopal Church of Scotland.

Next comes the Presbyterian Church, which in 1926 had 137,384 members, and in 1937 had 137,939. It is the first time since 1861 that the Presbyterian population has fallen to second place.

The Roman Catholic Church, however, shows the greatest increase, from 95,682 to 104,372, raising its percentage of the population .8 per cent. to a total of 23.8.

The Methodist Church, which in 1926 had 25,701 members in the city, has now 29,966 or an increase of .7 per cent., to 6.9.

Other denominations account for 25,499 of the population.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHILDREN.

More striking still is the percentage of Roman Catholic children to that of the other denominations combined. Of children between birth and four years, there are 11,488 Roman Catholics against 26,687 of other denominations, or 30.1 per cent. Between 5 and 9 years, 11,370 against 28,190, or 28.7 per cent. Between 10 and 14, 11,045 against 30,967, or 26.3 per cent. Between 15 and 19, 9,833 against 29,618 or 24.9 per cent.

There are 81,572 children between 5 and 15 years in the city and of these there are 59,157 belonging to other denominations and 22,415 Roman Catholics.

The percentage of Roman Catholics is greatest in the youngest age group and diminishes as the age increases. This suggested the possibility of a higher fertility rate among Roman Catholics, but it is apparent that the rate of all children under three years of age to the number of married women under 45 is generally highest in the wards having the highest proportion of Roman Catholic population.

The highest proportion of Roman Catholics are to be found in Falls and Smithfield Wards and, generally, the excess of females over males is relatively greatest among Roman Catholics.

The report of the census is published by his Majesty's Stationery Office on behalf of the Government of Northern Ireland, and can be purchased from the Office, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast, price 2s 6d net.

SICK LEAVE AT KEW.

"BUILDING UNHEALTHY."

The Select Committee on Estimates are puzzled at the high proportion of sick leave in the Claims and Records Office of the Ministry of Labour at Kew.

They point out in their report that the average sick absence a year is 19.5 days for men and 15 days for women, compared with an average of nine to eleven for the Civil Service as a whole, and suggest that expert assistance should be called in to examine the reasons.

Mr. L. C. White, assistant general secretary of the Civil Service Clerical Association, put forward an explanation.

"The excessive sick leave," he said, "is due to the fact that the staff are housed in a structure that was erected during the war and was intended only for war service. The building is utterly unsuitable and unhealthy. In summer the heat is excessive and in winter the staffs freeze.

"The staffs at Kew have protested for years about the bad conditions, but the Ministry of Labour has refused to find new accommodation or to spend large sums of money necessary to make the Kew office healthy."

SHIPPING DISPUTE ARBITRATOR

REMOVED BY COURT.

HIS STATEMENTS QUOTED

IN REFERENCE TO PORTUGUESE.

A King's Bench, London, Divisional Court on Friday removed Sir William Normany Raeburn, K.C., from the position of arbitrator in a dispute about a collision between a Portuguese and a Norwegian ship on the objection of the Portuguese to his remarks about them.

The matter arose out of a collision off Ushant last September between the Portuguese steamer Catalina and the Norwegian motor-vessel Norma.

The owners of the Portuguese ship alleged that Sir William Raeburn had used words at the hearing of the case which suggested that he was not acting fairly and impartially.

An affidavit was read in which Mr. Eugene Moreira, managing director of the Portuguese owners, stated that he was shocked to hear the arbitrator make remarks to the following effect:—

"They—referring to the Norma's witnesses—are not Italians. The Italians are all liars in these cases and will say anything to suit their book. The same thing applies to the Portuguese, but the other side here are Norwegian, and in my experience the Norwegians generally are a truthful people. In this case I entirely accept the evidence of the master of the Norma."

Mr. H. G. Wilmer, for the Norwegian Company, said the answer to the complaint was that it was wrong to take the words used by the arbitrator out of their context and then say they showed that the arbitrator was biased.

Mr. Justice Charles said the whole matter seemed to be so indefensible and to go so absolutely to the heart of justice as to make it inevitable for the arbitrator to be removed. In his opinion Sir William expressed such actual bias as to amount to misconduct.

The Court considered they must make the order asked for.

Mr. Sellers said the parties would probably agree upon another arbitrator.

KILLED BY STRIKE.

DUBLIN COMPANY WOUND UP.

JUSTICE JOHNSTON'S ALLUSION.

Directing that Messrs. W. Holmes & Co., a well-known Dublin drapery firm should be compulsorily wound up, Mr. Justice Johnston, in the High Court, Dublin, yesterday, deplored the prevalence of strikes in the city.

"I wish to say that I regret exceedingly that this matter has arisen," said Mr. Justice Johnston, "or that there should be a necessity for the winding-up of this company, which is a well known firm in the City of Dublin.

"I regret very much the winding-up of this company, and I accept the evidence produced that the misfortunes of the company arose through this unfortunate strike.

"These strikes, I think, do not do any good to anybody. I can well believe that the company was prejudiced by this strike.

"I have nothing but goodwill for this company, and nothing but regret that it becomes necessary to wind it up."

'PLANE AND GARDEN PARTY.

QUESTION OF PROSECUTION.

"CONFLICTING REPORTS."

Earl WINTERTON informed Mr. Hannah (C., Bilston), who asked whether the owner of the aeroplane which flew over the crowd assembled in the garden of Buckingham Palace on Monday, July 18, would be prosecuted, that inquiries in the matter had not been completed.

Mr. CROSSLEY (C., Stretford) asked whether the ordinary constable in the street was responsible for the detection of such aeroplanes.

Lord WINTERTON—That would depend upon circumstances. The difficulty in this case is the conflicting reports which are now being investigated as to how and where the aeroplane actually flew.

Mr. ELLIS SMITH (Lab., Stoke)—Will the Minister reconsider his attitude towards aeroplanes which fly low to enable photographs to be taken of pit disasters while hundreds of broken-hearted women stand there and are affected by actions of that kind?

No reply was given.

GOSSIP FROM PRESS.

LANGUAGE OF DICTATORS.

"YOUR" NOT "THINE" ADOLF.

LONDON, Saturday.

In the congratulatory telegram which Herr Hitler sent to Signor Mussolini on the occasion of his birthday it will be noted that the Fuhrer nowhere refers to the Duce's age. This is an example of tactful handling of one end of the axis by the other. The Duce never likes his age, or the fact that he is a grandfather, referred to. Actually he is 55. In one respect the brotherly relations of the two dictators are not translated into the realm of formal intercourse. The Fuhrer concludes his message: "Your Adolf Hitler." Here he uses the formal "ihr" ("your"), second person plural, instead of the familiar "thine" used between those on terms of intimacy.—"Peterborough" in the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post."

ROYAL WILLS.

Queen Marie appeals to her children in her will to "stand united." Authentic copies of minutes of British Royal wills are available from before Alfred the Great till time of Henry VIII. Alfred left £100 to each of his daughters and £500 to each of his sons. Left his lands to his sons, with directions that they should be handed down on "spear-side" and not "spindleside." William the Conqueror distributed his wealth among churches, clergy, poor, and friends. Left Normandy to eldest son Robert. Contents of will were in rhyme. Will of Henry II. was written in Latin. Left large sum for benefit of gentlewomen. Black Prince's chief concern was to raise handsome memorial to himself in Canterbury Cathedral. In modern times Royal wills are kept secret, and no Court has jurisdiction to grant probate of will of King.—"News Chronicle."

LONDON AS HOLIDAY RESORT.

Everybody is hurrying away from London just now—and as fast as the thousands leave other thousands pour into the Metropolis. For London is now becoming one of the most popular holiday centres in this country. I talked yesterday to some of the men who have made this vast amount of travel possible. At every one of the main-line stations they told me the same story: "We cannot yet say for certain that we shall break records, but already we know that we shall be very near our peak years, if not above them."—Noel Thompson in the "Daily Sketch."

MUSIC IN BELFAST PARKS.

Ulster Amateur Flute Band will play the following programme in Falls Park on Monday, beginning at 7-45 p.m:—March, "Happy Valley" (Wm. B. Blythe); waltz, "Reflections" (Bordoni); selection, "Faust" (Gounod); selection, "Old Memories" (Wm. B. Blythe); fantasia, "Ivydene" (Greenwood); selection, Haydn's works (Ord Hume); (a) "Chanson Neapolitan" (Tschaikowsky), (b) "Chanson Triste" (Tschaikowsky); vocal items (selected). Mr. George Hatch; Wm. B. Blythe, conductor.

THE SENIOR SERVICE

PAY AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE.

OFFICERS TO BE RETIRED

WHEN NO LONGER EMPLOYED.

The Admiralty announce that as a result of inter-departmental discussion in which all three fighting services have taken part important decisions affecting the emoluments and conditions of service of officers of the Navy have been decided upon.

The grant of marriage and children's allowances to naval officers has already been approved and put into effect.

The decisions recently taken may be summarised as follows:—

(1) Provision allowance will be given to all officers of captains' rank and below while on leave.

(2) Officers who are temporarily unemployed for service reasons through no fault of their own, and are to be further employed, shall if of flag rank receive the full pay of their rank, and if of captain's rank or below shall receive full pay and provision allowance, and marriage allowance where applicable. Future flag officers, however, if their further employment is uncertain, will receive six months' full pay, six months at two-thirds pay, and thereafter half-pay.

(3) It is considered important that senior officers should be retired when it becomes certain that no further employment can be found for them.

(4) It has been decided to terminate the existing naval practice whereby rear-admirals and vice-admirals get a step in rank to vice-admiral and admiral respectively, and though not employed in the rank thus reached qualify for retired pay at the rate appropriate to the higher rank. When this change becomes fully operative retired pay scales for flag officers will be identical with those for general and air officers, the rate being £950 for rear-admiral, £1,120 for vice-admiral, and £1,300 for admiral.

If at any time after reaching flag rank officers are not to be re-employed they will be retired, the right to remain two and half or three years on half-pay being abolished. But steps have been taken to secure to them their existing expectations in the matter of retired pay.

COMMENTS ON THE CHANGES.

Certain of the important changes in pay and conditions of service of officers in the Navy, announced by the Admiralty, are evidently designed to eliminate inequalities in the scheme for officers' marriage and children's allowances announced a few months back, writes a "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post" Naval correspondent.

It will be generally agreed that to withhold such allowances during the involuntary unemployment of officers is indefensible on any grounds of equality. Similar objections apply to the long-standing practice of placing senior officers on half-pay during intervals between appointments.

To retain senior officers on the active list when there is no chance of their being employed again is a practice which has little or nothing to recommend it.

In the past it has led to stagnation in promotion, with detrimental effects on the efficiency of the Service. But is should be noted that this new principle of compulsory retirement for officers whom it is not intended to employ again will not affect any existing officers of captain's rank or above.

On the other hand, a gradual diminution of the pay of flag officers whose prospects of employment are waning will apply to all who may be promoted to flag rank in future.

It is understood that a batch of new flag officers are to be advanced from captain's rank next month.

That pay for flag officers of the Royal Navy, general officers of the Army and Air officers of corresponding ranks should be equalised is unquestionably a sound principle which would make for a better feeling between the Services.

Details of the additional increment in the full-pay scale of commanders are not given, but it may be presumed that in this respect also the intention is to promote equity between the three Services.

R.A.F. PAY INCREASES.

Details of the improvements in wages and conditions in the R.A.F., announced by Captain Balfour, Under-Secretary of State for Air, in the House of Commons were issued on Friday night by the Air Ministry.

After enumerating the small increases to be granted to squadron leaders and wing commanders in accordance with length of service, the official statement observes that it has been decided to make grants for entertainment expenses, normally £25 a year, to officers commanding stations upon whom such expenditure falls.

Retired pay for officers of the rank of air chief marshal, air marshal, and air vice-marshal is in future to be £1,300, £1,120, and £950 a year respectively.

BRITISH DEFENCES.

ANTI-AIRCRAFT POSTS.

APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED.

In connection with the expansion of the anti-aircraft divisions, Territorial Army, the War Office announces the following appointments:—

Major-General J. H. Marshall-Cornwall, C.B., D.S.O., M.C., to be deputy chief of the Imperial general staff (anti-aircraft defence), with the rank of lieutenant-general.

Major-General A. F. Brooke, C.B., D.S.O., to be commander anti-aircraft corps with the rank of lieutenant-general.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier) L. R. Hill to be director of training and organisation with the rank of major-general.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier) L. D. Hickes, M.C., to be commander 3rd Anti-Aircraft Division, Territorial Army, with the rank of major-general.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier) H. G. Martin, D.S.O., to be commander 4th Anti-Aircraft Division, Territorial Army, with the rank of major-general.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier) A. G. Cunningham, D.S.O., M.C., commander 5th Anti-Aircraft Division, Territorial Army, with the rank of major-general.

The War Office also announces that the following appointments consequent on the anti-aircraft expansion have been approved.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier) R. Evans, M.C., colonel 5th Royal Inniskilling Dragoon Guards, A.D.C. to the King, to be commander Mobile Division with the rank of major-general vice-major-General Brooke.

Colonel F. G. Beaumont Nesbitt, M.C., to be Deputy Director of Military Intelligence, War Office, with the temporary rank of Brigadier, vice Colonel Evans.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Bayne-Jardine, D.S.O., Royal Artillery, to be Commander 28th Thames and Medway) Anti-Aircraft Group, with the temporary rank of Brigadier, vice Colonel Hill. Colonel R. M. Wootten, M.C., to be Assistant Director Territorial Army, War Office, with the temporary rank of Brigadier, vice Colonel Hickes. Lieut.-Colonel G. E. W. Franklin, D.S.O., M.C., Royal Artillery, to be Commander Royal Artillery 4th Division, with the temporary rank of Brigadier, vice Colonel Martin. Colonel F. L. M. Crossman, D.S.O., M.C., to be Commander of the Royal Artillery, 1st Division, with the temporary rank of Brigadier, vice Colonel Cunningham.

BILLS GIVEN ROYAL ASSENT.

In the House of Lords a Royal Commission signified the Royal assent to 64 Acts, including the Finance, Coal, Holidays with Pay, Essential Commodities Reserves, and Anglo-Turkish (Armaments Credit) Agreement Acts.

The House adjourned for the summer recess until November 1.

SPECIMEN OF NAZI VENOM.

GOEBBELS' ADDRESS

TO GERMANS LIVING ABROAD

SNEER AT ROYAL VISIT TO PARIS.

Addressing an audience of 10,000 Germans living abroad, including Sudeten Germans from Czecho-Slovakia, at Breslau on Friday night, Dr. Goebbels, German Minister for Public Enlightenment and Propaganda, made one of his bitterest and most venomous speeches.

It was broadcast over the German radio system.

After stating that five years ago, before Herr Hitler assumed power, the Reich was "most dangerously threatened from abroad," he admitted that Germany was now engaged in a heavy economic and political struggle "called forth by the democracies, against which we must now defend ourselves."

"We accept their challenge," he cried. "They say that we want to export National Socialism. It is, however, not an export article, but a German patent."

"HONOUR TO BE ATTACKED."

After this well-worn jest Dr. Goebbels continued, "National Socialism makes countries stronger, and we have no intention of conferring that favour on those who are too strong already."

"They might have stopped us in 1933," he admitted, "but they did not know what our real position was. Now we have grown mighty, and they have to take us in deadly earnest."

Dr. Goebbels then described the foreign Press as "Liars, who swill filthy printing ink over the world. We do not care if the Jewish, Paris and British Press attacks us," he added. "It is the highest honour which they could pay."

Dr. Goebbels at this point (says the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post") made a sneering reference to the Royal visit to Paris. "We need only look at the photographs or the news reels on the films when their is a State visit to Berlin or to Paris to be seen," he said, "to observe where there is a reign of democracy and where there is dictatorship. We in Germany have to ensure that flowers are not thrown at our statesmen. Elsewhere they have to watch out that rotten eggs are not thrown at theirs."

MEAN TO REMAIN STRONG.

"The German people has shaken off its inferiority complex. We have only one problem—to be and to remain strong. If the world will not respect us, it is at least envious of us, and that also is a pleasant feeling."

Tilting at Czecho-Slovakia, he continued, "We Germans do not need to mobilise out of fear, we are not so cheap. Nor do we need to decorate our soldiers with flowers as though they had just come home from winning a seven years' war; we purchase our laurels more dearly."

Germany, Dr. Goebbels said, had not yet solved all her problems. Indeed, only a fraction of them had been solved, but a greater fraction had been taken in hand, and the remainder were fully recognised.

THE WORD OF A NAZI.

NEW CZECHLAND DISPUTE.

FLAG THE TROUBLE THIS TIME.

The visit of the Czech Vienna Sokols to the great Sokol festival in Prague was made conditional by Herr Buerckel on their carrying a Swastika banner when they marched through the city.

Despite the promise of Herr Eisenlohr, the German Minister in Prague, that in return the Sudeten German gymnasts would carry the Czecho-Slovak flag at the athletic festival now being held in Breslau, the Germans have now refused fulfilment of the promise.

The Czecho-Slovak Consul in Breslau has been informed by the German festival authorities that, as the foreign delegations are considered to be members of the greater Germany Athletic Association, foreign flags will not be carried in the procession.

When the Sudeten German detachment appears alone at the Hermann Goering Stadium to-day, however, the Czecho-Slovak colours will be hoisted.

During the march through Breslau the Sudeten Germans will march behind the Swastika banner.

There is great annoyance in Prague at this breach of the engagement made during the Sokol festival.

CZECHS AND LORD RUNCIMAN.

TERMS OF HIS MISSION.

RECEIVED AS PRIVATE PERSON.

PRAGUE, Friday.—It is announced in official circles that Lord Runciman, in view of Mr. Chamberlain's declarations concerning the nature of his duties here, will not be received as an official personage or as the delegate of the British Government, but purely as a private person (wires the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post" correspondent).

He will naturally, it is stated, be invited to meet the President of the Republic, Dr. Hodza, and Dr. Krofta, and any other member of the Government or official person from whom he would like to obtain information. It will further, it is explained, be open to him to negotiate perfectly freely with members of the Henlein Party and all other nationalities.

When Mr. Chamberlain in his speech, the officially inspired statement runs, declared that Lord Runciman's visit to Prague was to be paid "at the request of the Czecho-Slovak Government," Mr. Chamberlain presumably meant that the Czecho-Slovak Government, when the British Government had planned to send a "British observer and conciliator" to Prague, asked that such person should not be sent after the present negotiations were over, but at once.

Behind these statements lies the fact that the Czecho-Slovak Government in accepting what is strongly maintained here was originally the British proposal to send out Lord Runciman, believed that he was coming in an official capacity, and that in sending him the British Government would assume at least moral responsibility for the issue of the negotiations.

There was great disappointment at the terms of Mr. Chamberlain's speech when it was discovered that this was not the case, and consequently the Czecho-Slovak Government intends to adhere in all its relations with Lord Runciman very strictly to the lines on which Mr. Chamberlain indicated his mission would run.

HITLER'S ENVOY OFF AGAIN

SAID TO BE BOUND FOR PARIS.

BERLIN, Friday. — Captain Fritz Wiedemann, Herr Hitler's personal A.D.C. and confidential adviser on foreign policy, who arrived by air yesterday evening on his estate in the Allgan Alps, 70 miles south-west of Munich, suddenly received fresh instructions this morning from Herr Hitler (wires the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post" correspondent).

As a result of these he left shortly after eleven o'clock by car for Munich, and flew this afternoon to an undisclosed destination, which is believed to be Paris.

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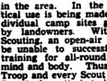
NEEDED IN ULSTER.

MANY VISITING TROOPS.



The search for a permanent camping ground for Ulster Scouts still goes on, and it may safely be assumed that, sooner or later, a site will be found, easily accessible and with adequate facilities for the thousands of Scouts in the area. In the meantime, practical use is being made of the many individual camp sites generously loaned by landowners. Without these sites, Scouting, an open-air movement, would be unable to successfully promote its training for all-round development of mind and body. Thus, it behoves every Troop and every Scout to remember that Scouting's motto is to improve and never to spoil any land to which they are allowed access. Every care should be taken to ensure landowners do not suffer any loss as the result of their own kindness. Camp sites should always be spick and span.

CROSS-CHANNEL VISITORS.

Every year Ulster becomes more and more popular as a holiday centre for visiting Troops from England and Scotland. This year, despite adverse camping conditions, the attraction has proved greater than ever before. A number of Scottish and English Troops have already completed holiday camps and appreciative letters received since their return home speak highly of the Ulster countryside and of generous Ulster hospitality. About a score of Troops are at present encamped on different sites, and amongst the latest arrivals are the 19th Swinton, numbering about 35, who reached Belfast yesterday en route for Downpatrick, and the Wallasey Scouts, who also passed through the city on Friday on their way to Portadown. This morning Rev. W. G. Magowan, late of Belfast, brought with him his Sheffield Troop (118th). These boys will camp at Woburn, Millisle. Three other troops arrived this morning, the 3rd St. Helen's, for Cushendall; the Carnforth Troop, for Ballymagee, Bangor; and 22 Scouts of the 1st Flint for Bangor.

To-morrow morning the 61st Bolton, under the charge of Dr. T. C. Galloway, will pass through Belfast on the way to Glynn, and on Monday some 22 Scottish boys (1st Glasgow) are expected to arrive at Cushendall, where they will camp on the land of Mr. H. H. Dobbs, secretary of the Ulster Scout Council. After a short spell of really fine weather the rain has been unpleasantly consistent, and it is to be hoped that the skies will clear sufficiently to enable the visiting Scouts to acquire a little of the sun tan which is the hall-mark of a good holiday.

ULSTER PARTY OFF TO SWEDEN.

District Commissioner J. H. Britton and a party of Ulster Scouts left Belfast for London on Monday last, where they joined the party of British Scouts which sailed from Tilbury to attend the Swedish National Jamboree near Stockholm. Mr. Britton is acting as assistant to the party leader, Major Malcolm Stoddard-Scott, M.D., A.C.C. for Yorkshire. The camp began on Friday, July 29, and will continue until August 8.

Scottish Rover Scouts are working hard at Crieff, Perthshire, in preparing the site for the World Rover Scout Moot, which will be held there next year. Each Scottish district in turn provides forty or more Rovers every week-end, and during the holiday period parties of Scottish Rovers have spent their entire vacations employed in levelling, clearing, road making, water supplies, etc. They have a tremendous task before them, but with the splendid progress already made they are confident that the site for situation and camping facilities will be second to none when the 7,000 Rover Scouts of the world camp at Crieff in July, 1939.

One hundred Sea Scouts from different parts of the country are to spend a week afloat from to-day, July 30, until August 6. They will forget their little dinghies, sailing boats and kayaks at home, but they will not forget the seamanship they have been taught in navigating rivers, backwaters and canals, for it can be put into practice while on two of the oldest ships afloat—the Implacable and the Foudroyant—moored in Portsmouth Harbour.

AUSTRALASIAN JAMBOREE.

The British Isles contingent for Australasian Jamboree is practically complete, and will consist of twenty King's Scouts and First Class Scouts and eight Scouters, who will be under the leadership of Rear-Admiral R. Collins, C.B., R.N., Assistant County Commissioner for Scouts in Berkshire. The Jamboree will take place near Sydney from December 29, 1938, to January 9, 1939. It is expected that over 10,000 Scouts from all over the Commonwealth, parts of the British Empire, and from several foreign countries will take part. The Scouts going from Great Britain will sail from England on November 2. They will be away for four months and will arrive back on March 6.

The "floating camp" arranged at the express wish of the Chief Scout and Chief Guide for Guiders and Scouters, who will take part in a 16-day cruise to Iceland, Norway, Denmark, and Belgium, begins on August 8 from Liverpool, returning to Dover and completing the voyage on August 25 at Liverpool. The ports of call are Reykjavik, Trondhjem, Copenhagen, and Antwerp. This cruise, organised by the Chief's elder daughter, the Hon. Heather Baden Powell, will be the third of such cruises. Large rallies of Scouts and Guides will be held at every port of call.

NOT TOLD HE HAD PARALYSIS.

MOTORIST FOR TRIAL.

MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE.

A doctor who did not tell a patient that he was suffering from creeping paralysis was questioned at Clerkenwell Police Court when Gabriel William Eyre (39), of Isleden Road, Holloway, was sent for trial on charges of manslaughter, driving a motor-car while under the influence of drink, and dangerous driving.

Eyre was also sent for trial on a charge under the Perjury Act.

The charges arose out of a fatal accident in Tufnell Park Road, N., in which a cyclist was killed.

Medical evidence was that Eyre was suffering from creeping paralysis. But the police surgeon was of opinion that alcohol had aggravated his condition.

Eyre said he had only had two tonic waters.

Eyre said that although at one time he practically lost the use of his legs his condition had improved, and he had driven various makes of cars.

"Until I heard Dr. M'Whirter state it in court I did not know what was wrong with me," he told the magistrate (Mr. Powell).

Dr. W. H. W. M'Whirter said Eyre had been his patient for about six years. Two years ago he advised him to see a specialist. The specialist confirmed his opinion that Eyre had creeping paralysis, the result of trench fever.

Mr. Powell—Was he informed of the specialist's opinion?

Dr. M'Whirter—No.

Mr. Powell—What does one pay a doctor for?

Mr. Price (counsel for the defence)—I suppose he told as much as he thought proper.

Dr. M'Whirter—Yes. The point was that it is a very serious condition. It is definitely retrogressive and does not improve, although there may perhaps be a period of quiescence.

Eyre, he said, was simply told that he had had trench fever.

WELSH COLLIERY FLOODED.

THE GRAVE PLIGHT OF CWMAVON.

Cwmmawr Colliery, Cwmavon, near Port Talbot, was completely flooded on Friday as the result of the failure of the pumps to cope with an underground spring swollen by recent abnormal rains.

In one part a passage 300 yards in length is completely under water, and it is estimated that it will take more than a fortnight to drain the pit sufficiently for work to resume.

Until then 98 colliers will be unemployed. They are all from Cwmavon, a village which has already 80 per cent. of its population out of work.

QUADS VISIT LONDON ZOO

AND FEED THE ANIMALS.

The St. Neots Quads visited the London Zoo Children's Zoo before it was officially opened yesterday. They were accompanied by their mother, father, and elder brother. As the four of them—Ernest, Michael, Paul, and Ann—entered the gate the crowd of animals clustered round them clamouring for food.

They had all brought some with them and were very amused in giving it to the most eager. Among those that they saw were emu chicks, mountain goats, deer fawns, and dingo pups.

Before leaving they fed Rag Piari, the one-year-old Indian elephant, which was transferred last Tuesday from another part of the Zoo and is tremendously popular with the children.

BALLYMONEY URBAN COUNCIL.

Mr. Robert MacAfee, J.P. (chairman) presided at the monthly meeting of Ballymoney Urban Council on Friday evening.

A letter was read from the secretary of the Antrim County Council, relative to the proposed extension of the city boundary by the Belfast Corporation, which, if effected, would mean a reduction in the total valuation of the County of Antrim by approximately £80,000.

The letter suggested that the Council should consider the passing of a resolution of protest against the Corporation's proposals.

It was unanimously decided to forward a strong protest to the Ministry of Home Affairs, the Corporation, and the members of Parliament for the county.

A PAGE FOR THE WEEK-END

GUIDE FOR BOOKLOVERS

When Bride-To-Be Said "No"

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"THE MARRIAGE WILL NOT TAKE PLACE."

Marguerite Steen (Collins, 8s 6d).

IT is not easy to find a new subject for a novel, but Miss Steen has done it. Her new book, instead of leading up to a conventional ending of wedding bells, starts with an engagement between two young people well known in London Society, and traces its course through the unending preliminaries of photographers, house decorators, reporters, and dressmakers which attend a fashionable wedding, until tired out, with shattered nerves resulting from lack of privacy, the bride suddenly decides that she can't go through with it.

The Spears have three daughters, two already have married well but unhappily, and they are not anxious to have their youngest and best-loved disillusioned. Father and mother are cultivated products of their age, rather more civilised than most. Both have privately decided that with their youngest child married they can give up their pretence of being an ideally-matched couple and go their own ways. The broken engagement has even more far-reaching consequences upon their future than upon the two most concerned.

SURPRISE DEVELOPMENT

From the beginning there is no doubt how the story ends; the question is how does the break come about. Here is a young couple, apparently suited to each other, and deeply in love, and yet overnight before the wedding rehearsal the bride discovers that she cannot marry Dominick.

The construction of the story is exceedingly clever, but the actual climax is limp—a great contrast with the crisp, definite approach to the big moment. Miss Steen seems to lose some of her sure touch after that. The last chapter becomes conventional and hardly free from the accusation of sentimentality which has been noticeably absent previously.

"The Marriage Will Not Take Place" is not a profound novel, but is an exceptionally intelligent one. It shows clear perception and shrewd observation that results in impartial and sympathetic writing. It presents a picture of different sides of the English upper class that has on the whole an authentic ring, and is a skilfully-written piece of work.

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LOVE SOLVED DIFFICULTIES

"ASK ME NO QUESTIONS."

Edward Hope (Chapman & Hall, 7s 6d).

"ASK Me No Questions" makes ideal holiday reading. It has lively dialogue, a simple plot with endless complications in true Wodehouse tradition, and a variety of incredible and amusing characters.

The luckless hero of these lively incidents is a young American who is bound by the terms of his father's will to pay 12,000 dollars a year to an unknown girl living on the French Riviera.

When the Great Slump arrives he finds that after paying this there is nothing left to offer Doris, his one and only girl, except an undying devotion, a commodity that her papa, the owner of a chain of stores, values at very little. So Jimmy, too kind-hearted to reduce his unknown ward's income, decides to go to Juan-le-Pins and find her a rich husband.

He gets an opportunity when Ike de Bro gives him a job in his band which has been engaged to play in a club in Juan. Needless to say, the most economic solution is arrived at when, after a few cases of mistaken and dual identity, he marries her himself, and forgets all about Doris and the chain stores.

But Doris has had her suspicions aroused by paragraphs in the American papers linking Jimmy's name with America's most married woman, whom he had met on the boat coming over. She crosses after him, and the fur begins to fly.

The story runs merrily through its complications, most of them really funny, and always easy to read. It is amusing reading to pass a couple of idle hours.

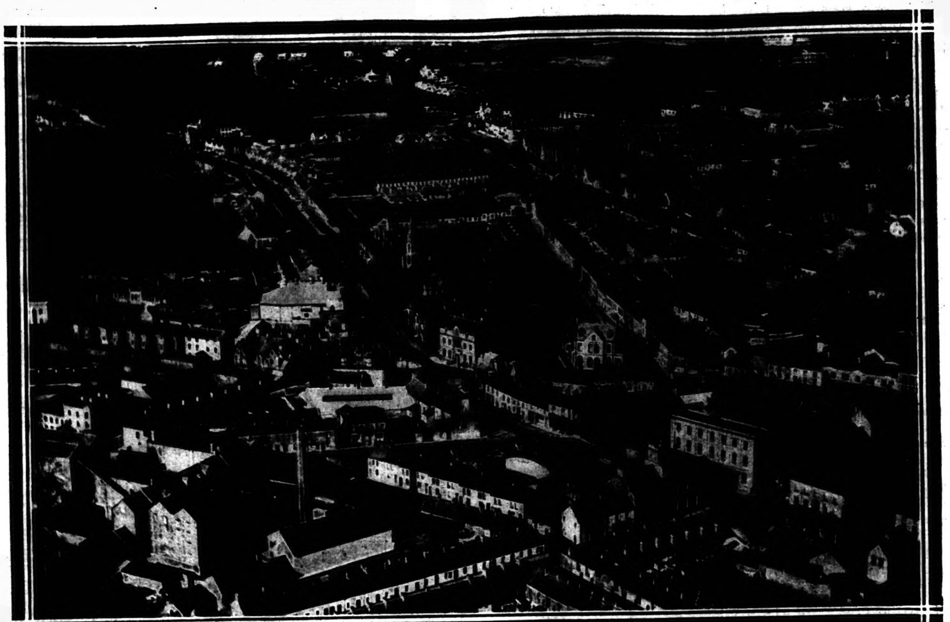
The Doctor's Corner.

Thermometers

A CLINICAL thermometer may be very useful in cases of suspected illness. On the other hand, it may be the cause of much unnecessary fuss and worry. Trouble arises for instance, from faulty reading of the instrument, mistakes usually being made over the decimal point. There is, of course, a great difference between 100.4 and 104, and unless accurate readings can be taken a thermometer is best done without.

It is worth remembering that the temperature of the body is less stable in children and that a degree of feverishness which might cause anxiety in an adult may occur in a child as the result of some comparatively trivial disturbance in health.

ULSTER FROM THE AIR



No. 17—AN INTERESTING VIEW OF BALLYMENA

THE SIGHT OF BLOOD

Six Minute Story No. 9—By Reardon Connor

THE MAN AND THE GIRL had been sitting at the cafe table for the best part of two hours. Now it was near midnight, the hour of closing, and the three waiters were growing impatient.

The man was thin and pale, with a freckled face and sandy hair. He had a stoop to his shoulders and a general air of inconsequence.

The girl was pale, too, without make-up, mouse-like in hair and general air of quietness. She was remarkable for her lack of personality, her quality of complete negativeness.

These two were the last customers in the little cafe. The three waiters stood around and watched them with expressions of annoyance on their faces. But the sandy-haired man ignored them. He kept on talking, talking, bending over towards the girl, his elbows on the table, a cigarette in the corner of his mouth.

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AFTER a while the eldest waiter, a stout, red-faced man, ambled slowly towards the table. He stood, flicking a napkin for a moment. Then he caught the eye of the sandy-haired man.

"Will that be all, sir?" he said, with more than a hint of impatience in his tone.

The man gave him a startled look. His eyes were wide open now, his face tense. He stared at the stout waiter as though he were seeing someone he wished to avoid.

"What time is it?" he asked in a strained voice.

"It's just on twelve, sir."

"When do you close?"

"Any minute now, sir. Shall I get you your bill?"

The man nodded without removing his eyes from the round, red face of the waiter. He watched the waiter scribbling out the bill as if every movement of the man fascinated him. The girl bent her head and did not look at the waiter. She was so insignificant, so silent in herself, that she might well have not been present.

The red-faced waiter looked at her for a moment as he handed the bill to the man. Then he turned away and winked at one of his colleagues. Here was some little clerk "doing the grand" before his back-street heroine, he was thinking to himself. He knew that if he got a tip at all it would be measured out in coppers.

The sandy-haired man rose and walked to the desk with the bill held tightly in his left hand. The girl did not move from the table. She turned her head slowly to watch the man, her face still expressionless, her eyes dead and colourless in their sockets.

Suddenly the red-faced waiter saw the man produce a pistol from his jacket pocket. He heard him say to the girl in the cash-desk: "Don't make a move! If you do I'll fire! Just hand over the money!"

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THE waiter was so astounded that he stood transfixed for several moments. He looked from the gaping girl in the cash-desk to the sandy-haired man with his weak, pale face and his quivering hand holding the pistol, then to the insignificant girl at the table whose eyes still showed no sign of any interest in the proceedings.

Then he smiled widely. He saw the pair in a new light all at once. They were just a pair of down-and-outs who thought that they could clear out the cash-desk by a show of bluff.

He began to move towards the desk. The sandy-haired man swung round, jutting out the pistol. "Put up your hands and stand where you are!" he snapped.

The waiter smiled again. It was a smile that played around his lips in derision. He saw that the sandy-haired man was trembling, terrified as though at his own daring. He did not pause in his walk, but went on towards the frightened man.

The man was shouting at him now, "Don't move another inch or I'll shoot!"

The waiter's smile grew wider. He saw the pistol shaking in the man's hand. He was wondering if the manager would give him a bonus for foiling this hold-up.

"Hand me that gun, son!" he said in a gentle tone. "I know it's harmless. You go to too many pictures."

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HE put out his hand to take the pistol from the sandy-haired man, who was shrinking down now as though in terror. Then he heard the sound of the girl's step.

She came and stood between him and the terrified man. "Give me that gun!" she said, taking the pistol from the man's grasp.

She pointed the muzzle at the waiter's body. "Get back when you're told!" she said.

Her voice was low, unhurried. The red-faced waiter smiled once more. But now his smile was one of uncertainty. He fixed his eyes on her face and saw that it was still expressionless, that the eyes still lacked depth and colour.

They were pale and insipid like water. There was no feeling in them. He knew that they could never register feeling, that the girl herself was incapable of emotion of any sort. She had the eyes of a snake. He felt that if he touched her she would have the cold slimy feel of a reptile.

Yet there was something in her eyes that held him, made him unable to shift his gaze from the pupils.

He took one pace towards her, the smile of derision still lingering on his face. "Put down that plaything!" he said in a curt tone. "We've had enough of this fooling!"

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SHE did not speak, but stood staring at him with her expressionless eyes. The smile died out of his face. A look of wonder replaced it. He knew then that she was coldly serious, that she was playing no game, but was ready to shoot him down as if he were a mad dog The weapon in her hand was as steady as a rock.

He lifted his hand, partly as a gesture of amazement. The girl misunderstood the action. She pressed the trigger. Lead tore into the stout body of the waiter, smashing its way into his heart.

He gasped like a deflating balloon and sank to his knees, his eyes still fixed on the vacuous eyes of the girl. Then he fell over to one side and lay without movement.

No one stirred in the cafe. The girl's hand holding the pistol drooped to her side. She gazed down in a blank way at the dead waiter.

Presently when someone came running at the sound of the shot she lifted her head and said in a weary tone:

"Take me away. I hate the sight of blood."

SURNAME SIDELIGHTS — FOX

CRAFTY in war, cunning in business, adroit in statecraft, such were some of the reputations which brought on men the nickname of "The Fox."

It was so used from ancient times. The passage in St. Luke which reads: "Go ye, and tell that fox, behold I cast out devils," is held to have referred to Herod. Innumerable kings from that time to the war when the deposed King Ferdinand was popularly called "The Fox" have borne the name.

From a like custom a surname grew up which is represented in almost every country and it has its equivalent, it may be observed, in every land.

One of the oldest titles in the ancient Irish nobility is that of "The Fox," which is still preserved. Some of the bearers of the surname, either as Fox or Foxe, are descended from ancestors who came with the name of le Fox from across the Channel.

It has been prominent among English surnames in every age, with many counties making contributions to the celebrities who have borne it.

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Richard Foxe, who was the founder of Corpus Christi College, Oxford, was a native of Grantham. He held the combined offices of Lord Privy Seal and Bishop of Exeter, and was successively Bishop of Bath and Wells, Durham, and Winchester.

The well-known classic known as Foxe's Book of Martyrs was the work of John Foxe who passed from his native Boston in Lincolnshire to Magdalen and thence into holy orders.

George Fox, the founder of the Society of Friends, or Quakers, was a native of Leicestershire. It is familiar history how he began life with a Nottingham shoemaker, and then left his work and home to wander the country with his Bible in hand.

His journeyings took him into many parts of the world, and his own Journal is a classic.

The title of Lord Holland came into a family of famous statesmen. The most notable figure was Charles James Fox, the third son of the first Lord Holland. According to Burke he was "the greatest debater the world ever saw," and he lies near Pitt in Westminster Abbey. Fox trained his nephew, the third Lord Holland, to politics, and he took an important part in the Corn Law controversy.

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Derby was the birthplace of Sir Charles Fox, the famous engineer who built the Great Exhibition, and Southwold produced William Johnson Fox, who represented Oldham in Parliament for some years, and attracted much attention with his Letters of a Norwich Weaver Boy on current politics.

The title of Baron Ilchester was conferred on Stephen Fox, who, two hundred years ago, represented Shaftesbury; he added the surname Strangways. The title is now that of the Earl of Ilchester, and Giles Stephen Holland Fox-Strangways is the present and sixth earl.

"The Fox," or O'Sionnach, is, of course, one of the surviving titles of the ancient Irish nobility, and Major Brabazon Hubert Maine Fox succeeded to the title of "The Fox" nineteen years ago.

Sir G. W. Fox, baronet, represents Henley in the Imperial Parliament. Sir John Charles Fox was Senior Master of the Chancery Division of the High Court, and has a number of standard legal works to his credit.

NEXT WEEK — MORRISON

Happy Seaside Snap

THE popularity of our Happy Childhood Photograph Competition increases, as is evidenced by the number of entries now being received.

This week's prize of 10/6 goes to Mr. George McConnell, Belfast Road, Bangor, who forwarded the delightful seaside study you see in this panel.

Next week another half-guinea awaits the happiest amateur snap of a youngster. Address prints to "Happy Childhood Competition," Belfast Telegraph, Royal Avenue, Belfast, and post them to arrive not later than first post on Wednesday, August 3. Enclose a stamped envelope if you want your print returned.

A PLAIN MAN'S SERMON

Golden Rules for Holiday Makers

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UNTIL the difficult task of evolving a practicable scheme for "staggering" holidays can be accomplished, August is likely to remain the great holiday month of the year. And this year, as a result of the spread of the principle of holidays with pay—a reform long overdue—more people than ever before will be setting out at this time for their annual holiday.

In planning our holidays we might do worse than to pause for a moment to look again at this word "holiday," and to see what it means. Few people need to be reminded that it is simply the altered spelling of what was at one time known as a "holy day."

The life of the mediæval serf, or villein, was one of ceaseless toil, the greater part of which was undergone, not for his own benefit, but as the service which he owed to the lord of the manor. But on certain days in the year he became a free man and his own master. These were the holy days appointed by the Church; and on these days the lord of the manor had no claim on either his time or his toil, because the Church claimed him in the name of religion.

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ESSENTIALS STUDIED

THEREFORE, before we lightly discard religion altogether we should at least remember that to it we owe two very precious things—personal liberty and holidays.

There are three requisites for the holiday which is going to be of any real benefit to us.

Firstly, there must be change. Change of air, change of scene, change of occupation. The lives of the great majority of people are characterised by a deadly monotony, both of surroundings and of occupation. For fifty weeks out of fifty-two multitudes of people do the same thing in the same place, day in, day out, without any kind of variation.

Therefore, the first essential of a holiday is that it should not be "a busman's holiday"; but that, while it lasts, we should be doing something quite different to what we habitually do, and in surroundings which are as far removed as possible from those in which we find ourselves at all other times.

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GUARD AGAINST HUSTLING

A HOLIDAY should bring us also some measure of rest. The two outstanding characteristics of these present days are restlessness and noise. There never can have been a time when people rushed from one place to another as they do nowadays; and never at any previous time has there been so much ceaseless and nerve-racking noise.

The result of which is that a continually increasing number of people are suffering from various kinds of illness which are due exclusively to an impaired nervous system. A holiday is an obvious chance for giving our jaded nerves a rest; but if we make our holiday—as some people do—into an even noisier racket than what already takes place, we must not be surprised if we return home, at the end of it, the worse rather than the better for it.

There is all the difference in the world between a holiday devoted to some form of strenuous exercise and a holiday which consists of a mere rushing hither and thither to the accompaniment of a maximum of noise. Really hard and sustained exercise may positively constitute a rest, especially for those who work normally with their brains rather than with their hands; for we can take it out of our muscles whilst giving our brains and nerves a complete rest; but a senseless racket rests neither brain nor nerves nor body.

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SIMPLE PLEASURES MOST SATISFYING

IT is a complete mistake to suppose that a holiday must be a "dull one" unless it is a ceaseless whirligig; for all experience goes to prove that it is the simplest kind of pleasures which are, in the end, the most satisfying and lasting. It will, I believe, be our wisdom so to order our holiday that it will leave us, at the end of it, conscious of having been rested in body, mind and spirit. In these days, if ever, people need some measure of rest more than almost anything else.

Lastly, we look to a holiday to give us recreation. We can very easily overlook the real, literal meaning of this word. But "recreation" means that which re-creates us—makes new men and women of us; and if we are going to be renewed at all, then such renewal ought to include mind and spirit as well as body.

So what I want to ask is this. What are we to say about a holiday which has provided a certain amount of recreation for our bodies, but which leaves us, at the end of it, deteriorated in character?

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ENJOYMENT WITHOUT REGRET

YOU have only to read your daily newspaper to see how large is the number of people whose downfall dates from what started during a holiday. A friendship was formed, a habit was begun, a plunge was taken which led eventually to heavy trouble and unhappiness, and sometimes to disaster and disgrace.

Being away from home can have its very grave moral and spiritual dangers for us, against which we do need to be on our guard. There are people starting on their holidays now who will come back from them presently definitely worse people than they were when they left home. They will have been anything but "re-created," except in a sinister sense!

Are we going to be amongst these? We do not think so; we simply cannot believe it. Still, "you never can tell." Let us keep an eye on ourselves this coming holiday-time, lest we come back home worse and not better for having been away.

REV. L. B. ASHBY.

WRITER'S POLITE REQUEST

Special Plea On Behalf Of Spiritualists

BROAD-MINDED TOLERANCE

Sir,—It is probably the opinion of a great number of your readers that one of the most interesting features of the "Telegraph" is the readers' letters, and certainly also one of the most provocative of thought and comment. And in regard to the letter signed "Phœnix Acheson," I am very much in his own state of mind, namely, "after a little cogitation I came to the conclusion that his letter certainly called for further comment."

First, let me state that I have been reading the "Telegraph" now for some 25 years, and after reading, and re-reading, the above letter I feel strongly that during the period stated I have seldom, if ever, read a more gratuitous and dogmatic series of assertions than those contained in the letter in question.

Secondly, allow me to state that I am not at the moment desirous of dealing at any length with the merits of Spiritualism so venomously attacked by your correspondent. I wish to deal more particularly here with the obviously bitter spitefulness, the childish petulance, and the supreme lack of logic unwittingly displayed in the letter in question. We are coolly informed as "fact" (!) "that at the present time there are 10,000 people confined in American asylums who have gone insane by reason of them attempting to probe into the mysteries of this foolish and most degrading superstition—Spiritualism." I would politely request "Phœnix Acheson" to furnish any unbiased and reliable evidence of the truth of this allegation. Does he obtain this "fact" from the records of any asylum in America? And was this "fact" published on the basis of a systematic investigation by those authorities into the religious beliefs of the unfortunate 10,000? Having perhaps as wide a knowledge of this matter as "Phœnix Acheson" I would suggest that the allegation is a grotesque exaggeration.

1,800 IN MENTAL HOSPITAL.

With further reference to insanity, "Phœnix Acheson" seems to imply that this is an infliction largely confined to Spiritualists. Well, for example, I found some years ago during a tour through Ireland, that in the mental hospital in Ballinasloe, which served for the counties of Galway and Roscommon, there were 1,800 patients in that institution. That district being supremely Roman Catholic, it is probable that the vast majority of the patients were of that faith—a sad proportion of a sparsely populated district. On the other hand, in districts supremely Protestant, the great majority of such patients will no doubt be of the Protestant faith. But "Phœnix Acheson" might stake his life on it that not one of the above 1,800 patients were Spiritualists or knew anything about the subject. Let him "cogitate" on this argument from real life, and give us his "further comment." It is a gratuitous insult to thousands of his fellow-citizens to imply that there is practically no insanity anywhere but among the Spiritualists, and that the votaries of all the other cults "are in complete control of their reasoning faculties." Alas, this is terribly far from the truth!

GENTLE REMINDERS.

In passing, I would gently remind "Phœnix Acheson" that Spiritualists have never burnt anybody at the stake, nor hanged, tortured or imprisoned any human being for his or her theological beliefs; and that the adherents of this "foolish and degrading superstition" believe in the Fatherhood of God, and the brotherhood of man, and regard these principles as fundamental to all human society. I challenge "Phœnix Acheson" to affirm that such principles and such broad-minded tolerance are among the marks of insanity. He futher asserts that "all who believe and who persuade others that they see or hear a spirit are the subjects of hallucination and anticular (whatever that may be) delusions, and in my opinion, they should be taken care of by their friends." This category must, however, include such men as the late Sir William Crooks, O.M., who was said to be "the greatest Englishman living," in his latter years; the late Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, M.D., and the creator of "Sherlock Holmes;" the late Cammille Flammarion, the famous French astronomer; the late Marshall Hall, K.C., and a host of men and women amongst the greatest thinkers of their generation, many of them still with us. There are several other "comments" made by "Phœnix Acheson" after his "cogitation" but I shall let him "cogitate" upon the foregoing for the present, in deference to editorial sanction.—Yours, etc.

THOS. BROWN.

CALLED "STOCK IN TRADE."

Sir,—Like clouds and shadows the advocates of what is really the Spiritists' cult seems to be ever with us. Its origin is now being accredited as an American production, and I think we should be on guard against its influences. But I opine that its "third movement" is older than Uncle Sam. In fact it is as far back as Eden's Garden. Among the very latest "God-breathed" instructions to believers in the resurrected Christ we are told that "Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light." This being so, we must look to find him in most unlikely places, where he can be doing infinitely more destructive work than in the arenas of international hostilities and world-wide debaucheries. He will be no stranger to our religious rostrums and lecture platform. Spiritism is developing in its delusions. "In the latter days giving heed to reducing spirits and the doctrines of demons." From the data furnished by contemporary Spiritists for the general acceptability of their teachings there is no super codes for moral rectitude. Their formula is "Love everybody and try to eliminate all wars from the world. Do good to all and sundry as brothers, and love your enemies and don't be afraid to die—for there is not death. This is their stock in trade. But these are nearly all Scriptural exhortations. Why, then, go to the devil for them? Why be content with a second-hand Gospel, when the Scriptures contain the genuine article? Spiritism is, therefore, among other things, a plagiarist. But above all, this aims at "destroying the misconception and fear of death," which is mere verbal drapery for immortal-soulism, the same which has no place in "the Scriptures of Truth." Such conception denudes "the Gospel of the Grace of God" of its essential "mighty power," and makes foolish "the doctrine of the rescurrection of dead ones."—Yours, etc.,

"CIVICUS."

SHIFTING THE SCENE.

Sir,—Mr. Phœnix Acheson's letter in Friday's "Telegraph" is a perfect example of how orthodoxy is able to mould the mind of an ignoramus. His unsubstantiated utterings bear the stamp of the hoary ecclesiastical stratagem of "suggestio falsi," besides showing his malevolent and abysmal ignorance. Mr. Acheson has never thoroughly investigated the phenomena of Spiritualism, but parrot-like, merely repeats the "blah-blah" of his spiritual mentors. Now that Spiritualists have disposed of the lunacy-lie in England once and for all, Mr. Acheson conveniently shifts the scene to America, and in true Yankee style, loosely juggles with fantastic figures. He talks of the "phenomena of witchcraft" and necromancy.

I advise him to read a few books on the horrible persecutions of (so-called) witches and then cover his head in shame, for they constitute, undoubtedly, the darkest page in the sinister history of medieval Christianity. The "phenomena" consisted of unspeakable tortures to psychically-gifted persons at the instigation and connivance of the Church, which would not permit any interference with its "holy" vested interests. Whilst these hapless women were burning at the stake, priests accompanied their cries with hymns and prayers of blasphemy.

What Mr. Acheson deigns to describe as the "foolish happenings" of Spiritualism are the same "foolish" manifestations that are described in the Bible and the same "foolish" things as practised by the Master Jesus. And pray what are your conceptions of a future existence beyond the grave? I am most anxious to be enlightened by such a "cool thinker" as yourself.—Yours, etc.,

GEORGE RULF,
Robinson's Hotel, Belfast.

WHY GO SO FAR AFIELD.

Sir,—I shall be grateful if you will afford me space in your paper to reply to the allegations contained in letter in your issue of 29th inst. from the pen of Phœnix Acheson.

Mr. Acheson has seen fit to traduce many of his fellow citizens in a statement he has made regarding lunacy. I am afraid it cannot be said that he has rigidly adhered to the 9th Commandment. On perusing this letter again I am forced to the conclusion that he is one of those people whose rightful place is in one of those institutions where he so glibly states is the home of many Spiritualists. Really, Mr. Acheson, you cannot be allowed to make such sweeping assertions without having the opportunity of substantiating your statements. I propose to give you an opportunity of doing so. You quote American statistics — why go so far afield? If Spiritualism makes 10,000 lunatics in America, no doubt it will furnish a like proportion in our own country where it has been reported that there are at least 4,000.00 Spiritualists. I challenge Mr. Acheson to produce to you, sir, the name and address, together with the name of the institution and the doctors who certified, one case that he personally can say he knows that has been so certified and detained through Spiritualism alone. If he cannot do this, no doubt the public will judge whether the truth has been told or not. Strange as it may seem, I have before me statistics covering 10 years, supplied by the Lunacy Board of Control, England, also from the equivalent bodies in Scotland who have admitted that they cannot trace in that period one case that has been detained in their institutions through Spiritualism. Are we to believe these statistics or Acheson? Again I can safely leave the verdict with the public!

In conclusion, might I say that in Belfast alone I am privileged to number among my friends Spiritualists of from 10 to 40 years standing, educated and intelligent men and women. I wonder how is it they have been able to remain outside our lunatic asylums all this time and have even risen in many cases to important position, certainly all carrying on their normal existence in everyday life to the good of the community.

Finally, I venture to state if Mr. Acheson had really any first hand knowledge of what he is writing about he would have repained from his allegations. I have in mind the words of the Master when he said "Father forgive them for they know not what they do" as particularly applicable to Mr. Acheson and his attitude to Spiritualism.—Yours, etc.,

"SPIRITUALIST."

TYRELLA LANDLORDS AND WRECKS.

Sir,—One of your readers has requested me to publish some data relating to the landlords of Tyrella in the 18th century, and also relating to smuggling and shipwrecks on that coast. He also requests some information pertaining to the building of the lighthouse at St. John's Point.

In a deed of mortgage in my possession, dated July, 1776, a deed bearing the date of November, 1726, is cited, and according to this document the lands of Upper Islandmauck, otherwise Tyrella, were conveyed by Richard Graham, of Tyrella, and others to Thomas Knox, of Ardquin, and afterwards Dungannon, the father of first Viscount Northland. A portion known as the quarter which formed part of a rabbit warren lately in the possession of John M'Machon was reserved. The term was from All Saints, 1661, for the remainder of a period of 1,000 years. Thomas Knox by his will dated 1769 bequeathed these lands to his second son, John Knox, of Waringsford, subject to an annuity payable to John's sisters Margery and Jane. This townland, later known as North Tyrella, was offered for sale by Henry Waring Knox in April, 1802, it being then let on leases to 24 tenants. H. W. Knox was the eldest son of the above John, and died as a prisoner of war at Melun, France, in 1809. So much for the history of some of the early landlords of Tyrella. We now come to the question of smuggling at Tyrella. I have no authentic information relating to smuggling on this part of the coast, though strange to relate my maternal great-great-great-grandfather, the Rev. Jasper Brett, who was vicar of Rathmullan, 1703-1735, published an essay against smuggling in 1721 entitled "The Sin of Withholding Tribute, by Running of Goods, Concealing Excerise, Etc." Apparently smuggling was very prevalent in the neighbourhood of Tyrella in those days and so prompted the vicar to write his essay.

As to shipwrecks, according to the Proceedings of the Royal Irish Academy, vol. III., George A. Hamilton, of Tyrella, while pulling down an old building in 1796, found some beams of cedar which were alleged to have been taken from a ship from Guinea, which had been wrecked in Dundrum Bay. The remains of the wreck were then still to be seen, and in the year 1815 a quantity of cedar, six elephants' tusks, a silver goblet, and what appeared to be chains for confining slaves were taken from the site of the wreck. In November, 1829, sixteen elephants' tusks, cedar, four cannons, remains of swords, muskets, etc., were recovered. In February, 1810, the ship Elizabeth was cast ashore here. She was on her return journey from Jamaica, with rum, cotton, and sugar as a cargo.

It was due to Captain Peter Browne, of the 9th Regiment, who married Mary Jane, daughter of Major Thomas Tipping Smyth, of St. John's Point, in 1830, that the lighthouse at St. John's was erected in 1844. Captain Browne actually superintended the building, the tower of which was built with Mourne granite. He died in 1864, and was succeeded by his son, the late Major-General Andrew Montague Browne, Colonel of the Scots Greys, who died in 1916.—Yours, etc.,

COLIN JOHNSTON ROBB.
Loughgall.

POLICE AND MOTOR CARS.

Sir,—For the past week the police in our city have been very active with the owners of motor cars in not allowing them to stop more than 15 minutes in certain streets, and in some streets not at all. As a commercial traveller I agree that this drastic action is necessary, but for those people who rather than pay the sixpence in a car park leave their cars for hours at a stretch and go to the cinema or to do their shopping. But why has the business man to suffer, who depends on his car for his living and must use it when he is doing business with his clients in the centre of our city? It will be absolutely impossible to do so if the present arrangement is allowed to stand, and I hope the powers who are responsible for turning Belfast into the "deserted village" as far as cars are concerned will do something for the business man, and give him some concession in order that he can conduct his business, and not have to worry that his "number" has been put into a notebook. I would like to say that during the past week the police have been most sympathetic and courteous in carrying out their duty as far as I was concerned, and helped me as much as they could under the circumstances.—Yours, etc.,

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DEBATE BY LETTER.

BELFAST CHAMPION OF FRANCO.

MADRID AND DEMOCRACY.

"ONE OF THE BIGGEST HOAXES."

Sir,—The naivety of Alderman Midgley's Spanish challenge deceives nobody. He has not been to Spain, even on a conducted tour of "Red" territory; and he well knows that nobody in Belfast likely to fill the bill in his challenge has been there either. The bravura of the Alderman's challenge has given some of your readers an opportunity to air their woeful ignorance of the Spanish situation and to hurl obloquy at Franco in the best style of "Twelfth" orators performing a similar task, with the Pope as the target. All their letters contain the usual tailor-made lies issued by the Barcelona Government in a quantity that is only excelled by that of the figures of their war successes. I remember that up to April of last year the "Reds" had claimed to have won 1,500,000 square kilometres, three times the whole area of Spain; to have killed or wounded 2,500,000 of its enemies; to have captured 345,000 prisoners; to have taken 415,000 cannon, 775,000 machine guns; to have shot down 56,779 'planes. Huesca was, according to "Red" messages, captured 26 times, Toledo 11, Oviedo 22 times. Let Alderman Midgley or your "Red" supporters refute these figures if they can. They were given out by Barcelona, not Franco.

One of the biggest hoaxes is the one about the democracy of the Government of Spain. The "Red" Government is still democratic for the Midgleys and the M'Graths. It is democratic because they and the newspapers with a few honourable exceptions will have it democratic, not because it is. If the Midgleys and the M'Graths read their newspapers they would know that it is not democratic. Not by any stretch could Largo Caballero, long the head of the Valencia Junta, be called democratic. He hates democracy and has many times said so. And now he is out and his place is taken by Communists and the bitter damnations of democracy that have been written by Communists would fill libraries. Yet for the Midgleys and most of the newspapers Valencia or Barcelona goes on being democratic. You do not have to listen to the Midgleys or read the newspaper despatches to know that there is no more democracy in Barcelona than in Russia.

COMPOSITION OF FRANCO'S ARMY.

Until your correspondents told me I hadn't read for about two weeks that Franco's armies are composed mostly of Moors from Africa. Remember them? They were on every battlefield, on every mountain, in every city. If all the Moors in Africa had come over they would not be enough to fill the requirements of the stories we heard about them. They must all be dead or gone back to Africa. Their places have been taken by Italians and Germans. Get the point? Propaganda has taken the place of truth.

How foolish you are, Mr. M'Grath! While Mr. Midgley and his allies have been proclaiming from the housetops that the proletariat must win in Spain, that democracy must triumph, you come along and hope for a "Red" victory. Not, mark you, a victory for the poor down-trodden masses, for democracy. But a "Red" victory, a victory for Communism. Have we got one of Stalin's stooges in Newry?

Why, it is pertinent to ask, do others besides the Midgleys and the M'Graths piously read their newspapers and believe everything they read provided it is against Franco and the Nationalists? Who is giving them the ether and why do they take it without a struggle? Why should these people favour the side on which the Communists pull such a heavy oar? Because for months it has been dinned into their ears that Valencia is democratic and that Franco is a Fascist. That gives their minds an excuse. If you have chosen the other side as they have chosen the Communist side, then you are a Fascist and not worthy to be heard. The wild and ridiculous self-contradictions that have characterised the "Red" side of the propaganda conflict simply do not register with them. Their minds are under the control of their feelings. In such a state a man's logic and commonsense have very little chance to operate. That is why it would be foolish to debate with the Midgleys who cannot look beyond the glories (sic) of the skull-cracking gangsters of the Barcelona regime, who would make the excesses of an African kraal look like a picture of Paradise.

And by the way, may I point out to Mr. Midgley and his followers that the Nationalists are not insurgents. Now can a nation "insurge" into its own territory? If Mr. Midgley were to descend into his kitchen to eject a thief would he be correctly accused of burglary?—Yours, etc.,

JAMES A. KELLY,
Antrim Road, Belfast.

LONDON VISITOR AND FRANCO.

Sir,—I trust you will pardon me and give me space for one more letter to reply to "Ballyhackamore." I am, unfortunately, leaving Ulster on Wednesday next. Firstly, let me assure him that I am not, nor ever have been a war correspondent. My visits to Spain and my various visits to every country in Europe, except Greece, were of a nature that I would prefer not to disclose. Will it suffice "Ballyhackamore," if I say (1) that the business of those visits was such that even he would not be ashamed of, and (2) that they were not conducted tours, but definite exploitations by myself in what, for simplicity, I may term the under world and the upper world. I am, possibly to my own detriment, at any rate financially, a wanderer in the face of the earth. Why bring in religion to this struggle in Spain?

I can assure you that the laity in Spain are only interested in removing by any means the tyrannical rulers put into power at the time of the revolution by Stalin and his satellites. Had "Ballyhackamore" seen Spain before Stalin became interested and also spoken with peasants after the revolution had taken place, he would not, I feel sure, be so complacent in his thoughts that the existing government was there by the wishes of the majority. Does "Ballyhackamore" honestly believe that the recent elections in Russia, carried out under the rifles of the army, really indicate the will of the people? Let me hasten to assure him that the same applied to the last elections in Spain. I was there at the time.

No, I still maintain that, despite a few propagandist pronouncements by various R.C. pontiffs, the will of the Spanish people is behind Franco in his efforts, by any means, to rid the country of the tyrannical dependants of Russia. Will "Ballyhackamore" please forgive me for misreading his letter, and may I accuse him, at least, of a slight antiquity. I certainly read him as supporting a Red Government in Spain and denouncing it for Ulster. I, like him, do not believe in intervention by force from any outside force. This neutrality is what I have, in all my letters on this subject, endeavoured to encourage. Why think that Franco's is the only side to have received outside assistance? The Spanish Government at the beginning of the war were armed to the teeth with munitions supplied by Russia and the Communist "Blum" Government of France. The Spanish Government are in the position they are now because, apart from the assistance they have received from Italian and German man power, Franco's supporters are wholeheartedly in support of the cause for which they are fighting, whereas the desertions of hundreds of thousands from the Red ranks to Franco show in which direction the feelings of the people are directed. "Ballyhackamore" has not hurt my feelings. Had I longer in your pleasant country I should like to meet him to further discuss this matter, on which I assure him I am more than sincere. I am glad he agrees with me that the chairman of the Newry Labour Party is only a propagandist, but I also regret that I have not sufficient standing to approach Mr. Chamberlain in the manner he desires. Ministerial accessibility does not obtain in London as it does in Ulster; otherwise I would do all in my power in support of the cause which he has so much at heart. May I, at least, assure him that the average man in the street on the other side is just as much in sympathy, and suggest that he sees that pressure is brought on your own Government to see that the desired end is brought about. It is up to you to bring your cause before the British public.

May I say, in conclusion, that I have very much enjoyed my stay here, and trust that I shall receive the same welcome on my next visit.—Yours, etc.,

"A LONDONER IN ULSTER."

TOURIST INDUSTRY IS BOOMING

IN SPITE OF WEATHER.

HEYSHAM'S BUSIEST NIGHT.

THE RUSH FROM PAISLEY.

Almost six thousand passengers, mostly holiday makers bound for Ulster, arrived at Heysham on Friday night to cross by the Heysham steamers.

Three vessels were ready, but these could only accommodate 4,500, and the company had to arrange for the remainder, about 1,150, to spend the night in the Winter Gardens at Morecambe.

The bookings were the heaviest over a long period, and, coming from such a wide area, the inconvenience which those who were left behind suffered could not be foreseen until the boat trains began to arrive at Heysham.

Another boat was provided early this morning, and the stranded passengers left Heysham for Belfast about ten o'clock, arriving in the city between two o'clock and three this afternoon.

In the meantime one of the three vessels had left Belfast again with 1,400 passengers, and a second, the Saturday service, left soon after with a large complement of passengers.

Two further vessels will leave for Heysham to-night.

THE LIVERPOOL SERVICE.

On the Liverpool route two vessels were required to deal with the bookings.

So far as the Scottish visitors were concerned it was a case of farewell and hail. The Glasgow fair visitors returned to their homes in six Burns-Laird boats during the day, but to compensate for their loss there were exceptionally heavy bookings to Belfast from Paisley, the fair in connection with which has just commenced.

The first boat load of Paisley visitors arrived about four o'clock, and during the day half a dozen more, all well laden, berthed.

It is estimated that on all three routes no fewer than 15,000 passengers were landed this morning.

The very big majority were holiday-makers, and all the seaside resorts in the Province will benefit by their stay.

It is unfrtunate that they should visit Ulster when the weather is anything but good. On Friday there was almost continuous rain, and this continued during the night.

The skies were still heavy this morning, and rain has fallen continuously, and so heavily as to cancel the afternoon sports programme.

Hope springs eternal, however, and if the downfall leads to real summer weather in the next few days there is no doubt that the visitors will thoroughly enjoy themselves.

SUNDAY OPENING CONTROVERSY.

Sir,—Mr. Lupane states that "the public now want Sunday opening of public-houses." What proof does he bring for this claim other than his own statement and those of two writers who prefer not to give their names? These apparently, in Mr. Lupane's view constitute the public. Will Mr. Lupane tell us of any demand for abolition or modification of the existing law, in the past 15 years, from any section of the public other than those engaged in the manufacture and sale of intoxicants? If the public want the public-houses open on Sunday in what way and when have they expressed their wishes? Perhaps Mr. Lupane can tell us and perhaps he can not.

In June, 1924, a year after the passing of the Act, a deputation from the licensed trade waited on Sir James Craig (as he then was) and presented a petition asking that each fully licensed house in the Six Counties should be opened for three hours on Sunday and the return of the bona-fide traveller or, alternatively, the same facilities as in England. The Prime Minister's reply was devastating. He told the deputation that "he did not believe that Sunday Closing would keep away tourists. The people of Ulster in the next generation would thank the Almighty and the first Northern Parliament for this licensing legislation and say that it was a good thing that it was passed. They will be pleased that Ulster is the best conducted part of the country."

The "Northern Light" informed its disgruntled readers that "the petition had been presented but had received little consideration." I wonder if it would be possible for Mr. Lupane or any other members of his trade to write a letter without using the words "teetotal fanatics?" Will they never learn that abuse is not argument? If he had any pretence to a balanced judgment he would know that this sort of thing makes no impression whatever on intelligent readers. Nor do references to Welshmen who get drunk on Sunday by consuming "ten or twelve pints of beer."—yours, etc.,

J. A. HUNTER.
68 Balmoral Avenue,
Belfast.

VOLUNTEER DEFENCE BADGE.

Sir,—With reference to your corrrespondent's (S. G. Megarity's) enquiry in your issue of the 29th inst., regarding eight-pointed rayed star: this is the badge of the Belfast Volunteer Defence Corps, which operated during the Great War period (under the command of Commandant John Bristow, Under-Sheriff for Antrim), furnishing patrols to assist the military on duty at the shipyards, petrol tanks, etc., and also took part in recruiting campaigns in the city.—Yours etc., "J. H."

FOUR MEN CHARGED

AT CASTLEDERG COURT.

ALL RETURNED FOR TRIAL.

At a special court in Castlederg on Friday, before Mr. W. J. Davidson, J.P., four young men named Jack M'Cutcheon, Wm. Kerrigan, Thomas Kerrigan, and George Sproule, all of Castlederg, were returned for trial on charges of breaking and entering the licensed premises of John H. Coulter, Main Street, Castlederg, and stealing two cases containing 48 bottles of porter.

Bail, which was forthcoming, was granted.

Mr. Cecil Magee (Messrs. R. S. Magee & Son) appeared for the Kerrigans.

Sergeant Flannagan said the defendants made statements denying the charges. On searching M'Cutcheon's house he found two stout cases containing twelve full and five empty porter bottles. On a mantelpiece in the kitchen he found a key with which Coulter's premises could be opened. Coulter's barman identified the case and contents in M'Cutcheon's house. Subsequently in the police barracks M'Cutcheon said, "I might as well tell the truth. It was Geo. Sproule took them out of Coulter's, and I was standing out in the lane watching. He came out the back way with the cases." Thomas Kerrigan denied the charge, but later said, "George Sproule was in it too." George Sproule, when arrested, said, "I will say it is not the truth. I was not there." Wm. Kerrigan said, "I am quite innocent of both charges." He later said, "It was M'Cutcheon did this. I never stole anything in my life."

Sergeant Blackstock said when the accused were placed in the lock-up in Castlederg barracks he heard Sproule say to M'Cutcheon, "You made a statement and put me in for the whole lot. We were both in together." One of the Kerrigans, whom he believed to be William, said, "The stout should have been drunk and not left in the house," and Kerrigan replied, "When the drink was in the house there was no use denying it."

The Court ruled as stated.

EMPIRE THEATRE.

REOPENING NEXT WEEK.

MANY IMPROVEMENTS.

When the Empire Theatre, Belfast, reopens on Monday, patrons of this popular house will find many improvements. The whole of the outside has been repainted in a pleasing style, and many improvements have been made to the interior, including new heating and lighting arrangements, new scenery and many other details. The progress of the Empire during the past few years has been astonishing, and the management is to be congratulated on the success of its policy.

A very strong attraction has been secured for next week, when Rex Howard will present London's latest musical show entitled "Melody Cruise," which is 50 per cent revue and 50 per cent. variety. The first part of the programme is given over to variety and will include Wesley and George in "Fun on the Links"; the Modernaires and Billie Tredegar in their latest creation "The Congalero"; Jack Demain "The Dud Deceiver"; Oakley and Carver, comedians, and Masu Hirukawa & Co., Japanese Jugglers Extraordinary, including the novelty "Slide for Life."

The second part of the programme takes us for a trip to Hawaii in the ss "Bluebird," and many charming scenes and melodies are encountered. Those taking part include Bob Williams, Tom Richards, the Ebenoys, the Three Hiltons, the Kinia Boys, Buddy Lane, Francis Duran, Mac Jackson, Phyllis Jones, Joe Phillips, and the Hula Hula Girls.

TO-DAY'S YACHTING.

REGATTA AT WHITEHEAD.

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Discounting one that did not fill, there were no fewer than 18 events on the card of Whitehead Regatta which was held to-day. For these the entrants reached the grand total of 181.

The fixture is held annually under the auspices of the County Antrim Yacht Club—an organisation renowned not only for its good sportsmanship, but also for its hospitality. Both qualities were strongly in evidence to-day, and at the club's headquarters, as on previous occasions, "open house" was the order of the day.

The club, by the way, was founded at the door of the Century, and it was under its auspices that the "Waverley" class, now numerically stronger than ever, was introduced in 1902, these handy and seaworthy craft having been built to a design prepared by Mr. John Wylie, B.A., himself a member of the C.A.Y.C.

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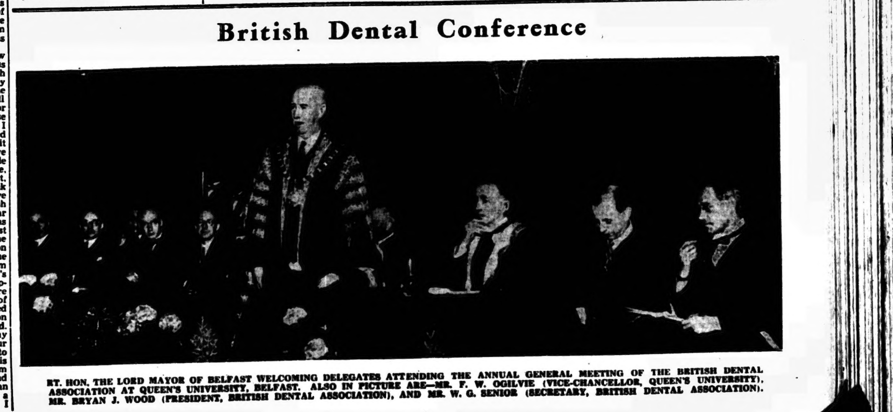

RT. HON. THE LORD MAYOR OF BELFAST WELCOMING DELEGATES ATTENDING THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE BRITISH DENTAL ASSOCIATION AT QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY, BELFAST. ALSO IN PICTURE ARE—MR. F. W. OGILVIE (VICE-CHANCELLOR, QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY), MR. BRYAN J. WOOD (PRESIDENT, BRITISH DENTAL ASSOCIATION), AND MR. W. G. SENIOR (SECRETARY, BRITISH DENTAL ASSOCIATION).

FINANCIAL REVIEW

WEEK OF RESTRICTED ACTIVITY

HOME RAILS' SHARP SETBACK

TRANSATLANTICS LOWER

LONDON, Friday Night.—Holiday influences have been noticeable all week in the Stock Exchange, and business generally has been modest, with little buying support.

The most notable development of dealings on the Stock Exchange has been the further fall in Home Railway stocks resulting (despite some recovery on the less lugubrious traffic returns for the past week) from the shocks sustained by the companies half-yearly statements.

Gilt-edged stocks have been subdued by the partial success of so many of the recent new issues and high-class Debenture stocks, etc., which a little while ago would have been oversubscribed.

Transatlantics have moved considerably and on balance show falls as compared with the quotations ruling a week ago, despite the stimulus provided by the decision of the U.S. Steel Corporation to maintain the interest payment on that company's Preferred stock.

Argentine Rails have hardly moved, while fluctuations in the foreign bond department have been mainly confined to declines in the Japanese issues resulting from the protraction of the war in China and indications that Japan may become embroiled in the Soviet.

Home industrials, with exception of aircraft shares, and one or two miscellaneous issues, have been reactionary, as the evidences of a revival of industry in the U.S.A. have been more than offset by depressing local influences, such as the railway traffic figures, the Courtaulds interim dividend cut and sharp drop in rayon production, and the disappointing June index figure of the Cable and Wireless Co.

Newspaper shares have weakened in sympathy with the decline in the price of Amalgamated Press shares on the knowledge that as a result of the £1,000,000 Debenture issue (a proportion of which has had to be subscribed by the underwriters) £40,000 per annum will be required to pay the interest thereon, and some doubt as to whether the company's profits will expand by that amount owing to the increased efficiency of the company's Imperial Paper Mills, that should result from its increased output capacity.

Brewery shares were depressed by the final dividend distributions of Watney, Combe, & Guinness. The former fell 4s to 71s on the one per cent. reduction in the bonus distribution to 3 per cent., the final dividend being maintained at 9 per cent., whilst Guinness eased 1s despite the sustaining of the final dividend of 12 per cent. and bonus of 5 per cent.

GOLD AND DIAMOND SHARES.

Quiet and uninteresting conditions have generally prevailed in the Mining share market throughout the week, there being little demand from the Cape, while Paris has been only a small buyer of some of the leading established dividend payers. Business has been further restricted by holiday influences.

The outstanding feature of Gold Mines has been some very good buying of Western Holdings in anticipation of favourable developments, which at one time lifted the shares to a new high level of 23s 4½d, although the shares reacted later on profit-taking. There has been a small investment demand for several of the heavies, such as Crown Mines, East Geduld, and Central Mining.

On the other hand, West Africans have dwindled through lack of support. The gold quotation is slightly easier at 141s 5d per fine ounce.

Diamond shares are slightly easier on balance.

COPPERS AND TINS.

The advance in the American price of domestic copper led to an improvement in the price of the metal, which shows a rise of 5s 7½d at £40 15s per ton.

Rhodesian coppers have responded to the movement, although in some directions values are under the best on profit-taking. Rhokana have been supported, while Rho. Anglo-American display firmness, but Selection Trust have lost ground.

There has been little interest in tin shares, while the price of the metal has fluctuated within narrow limits and is £1 2s 6d lower at £193. Polberro Tin have been less active and are slightly easier on the week pending further developments.

RUBBER, OIL AND TEA.

Rubber shares have appreciated several pence, stimulated by the firmness of the commodity, which touched 7 29-32d per lb. on reports of more favourable American business news, while the absence of a decision for the December quarter only temporarily checked the upward trend.

Oil shares have experienced a quiet session, although Anglo-Egyptian B have been supported.

There has been a good demand for Tea shares.

SOUTH AFRICAN TAXATION.

Mr. A. C. Havenga, speaking of the financial position of the Union of South Africa, stated that when the Budget was introduced it would be apparent that it was no longer possible to proceed with public expenditure at the pace set up in recent years. Year in and year out those interested in the management of the Witwatersrand mines have called attention to the huge taxation which the field is called upon to bear, being approximately 50 per cent. of the additional profits arising from the increase in gold from 84s to 140s. Ministers argue that as the mines are not responsible for the rise in gold they should give up a share to the Government, which is being expended to bolster up farming and other industries. It may be said that the union is financially sound, and should have a surplus, but if expenditure were allowed to run along without a halt being called a deficit would be incurred, which might meant further taxation on the Rand mines. It may be said without fear of contradiction that the gold mines have made South Africa, so every effort should be made to help them.

AMALGAMATED ROADSTONE CORPORATION

The directors of Amalgamated Roadstone Corporation Ltd., in order to finance the larger turnover, propose to increase the authorised capital from £525,000 to £600,000 by the creation of £75,000 of Preference shares. As compensation to the existing Preference shareholders for consenting thereto, it is proposed to increase the Preference dividend from 6 per cent. to 6½ per cent. and to give both the Preference and Ordinary shareholders the right to take up the new 6½ per cent. Preference shares at 21s per share in proportion to their present holdings. An influential financial group in London will take up shares not subscribed by the shareholders in consideration of a sum of £4,700.

G.N.R. GUAR. INTERIM DEFERRED.

The directors of the Great Northern Railway Company (Ireland) announce that they have had before them the accounts for the half-year to June 30, 1938, and in consequence of the substantial increases in the cost of labour, coal, materials, etc., and the decline in traffic receipts, they are reluctantly obliged to defer the consideration of payment of an interim dividend to the guaranteed stockholders until the end of the year. The directors also regret that the results do not permit of the payment of any interim dividends on the Preference and Ordinary stocks.

WEEKLY BAROMETER.

RISES.

Indian Iron 48s 9d+5s.
Handley Page 39s+1s 6d.
Western Holdings 22s 3d+6d.
Central Mining 22⅜+⅜.
East Geduld 11⅝+⅛.
Rhokana 12⅛+⅛.
Rhodesian Anglo-American 25s 3d+1s.
Anaconda 7⅞+1-16.
Rio Tinto 14⅜+⅜.
Anglo-Egyptian "B" 47s 6d+3s.
Burmah Oil 4 11-16+⅛.
Anglo-Dutch Rubber 29s 6d+6d.
Malacca 24s 4½d+1s 3d.
Djasinga 16s 3d+7½d.

FALLS.

War Loan 102 15-16—1-16.
Great Western Railway 29¼—1¼.
London North-Eastern 4 per cent. 1st Guaranteed 83½—1.
Do. 4 per cent. 2nd Guaranteed 71½—1.
L M S 4 per cent. Guaranteed 94—2.
Southern 5 per cent. Pref. 102½—1½.
Chinese 5 per cent. 1913 59½—1½.
Czecho-Slovak 8 per cent. 73½—½.
Japan 5 per cent. 1907 39½—2½.
Do. 6 per cent. 1924 45—2.
Do. 5½ per cent. Conversion 44—2.
Whitehead Iron 35s—5s.
Crompton Parkinson 28s 10½d—1s 6d.
Amalgamated Press 12s 6d—1s 6d.
Beechams 55s—3s 6d.
Murex 76s 3d—2s 6d.
Cables Ordinary 53½—1½.
Albion Motors 38s 9d—3s 1½d.
Brown Bros. 51s 10½d—2s 1½d.
Canadian Celanese 57s 6d—4s 4½d.
American Celanese 35s—3s 9d.
Courtaulds 28s 7½d—7½d.
Nickels 51½—1.
Steels 61½—1.
East Rand Props 2 13-16—3-16.
Gold Coast Selection 24s 7½d—10½d.
De Beers Deferred 9½—5-16.
Trepca 13s 3d—1s 3d.
Watney Combe 71s—4s 3d.
Guinness 112s—2s.

DUBLIN TRAMWAYS INTERIMS.

The directors of the Dublin United Tramways Company, Ltd., have declared an ad interim dividend at the rate of six per cent. per annum, less income tax, on Preference Stock for the half-year ended 30th ultimo, and an ad interim dividend at the rate of two per cent. per annum, less income tax, on the Ordinary stock, for the period, the same as last year.

G.W.R. EXPERIENCES.

The Great Western Railway Company, having taken £818,000 less revenue in the half-year than it did a year ago, has passed its interim dividend on the Ordinary stock, which is had never done during the dicult years after 1930. Each of the home railway companies has thus cut a distribution at the ngif-year, but the Great Western alone has withheld from shareholders a distribution never before wholly interrupted. The Great Western Railway Company has hitherto always paid at least 3 per cent. for the ear on its Ordinary stock at a cost of about £,1290,000, though for several years it has drawn upon reserves to do so. If the company repeated in the second half of 1938 the revenue decline of the first half it would be short of nearly the whole Ordinary dividend paid last year; but, like the other lines, the Great Western has certain advantages, or reduced disadvantages, to expect in the second half-year figures when measured against those of 1938.

PAYMENTS REDUCED.

Holders of the Ordinary shares of Isaac Holden & Sons, Ltd., the Bradford woolcombing concern, had their interim dividend reduced in February from 5 per cent., tax fee, to 2½ per cent. ,tax free, and the final dividend for the year ended June 30, it is now announced, is also to be reduced. The payment is to be of 2½ epr cent. tax free, against 7½ per cent., tax free, a year ago, so that the total distribution for 1937-8 will be only 5 per cent., tax free, as compared with 12½ per cent., tax free, for the previous year and with 13¾ per cent. tax free, for the year before that.

The directors of Fleming, Reid & Co. (worsted spinners, hosiery manufacturers, and retailers) propose to pay an interim dividend on the Ordinary capital of 9d per share (3¾ per cent.), less tax. A year ago the interim payment was 5 per cent., which w,as followed by a final of 5 per cent. and cash bonus of 7½ per cent., making in all 17½ per cent., less tax.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

Tankers, Ltd.—Dividend of 4 per cent. on the 8 per cent. Cumulative Preference shares of the company, being a payment off arrears to September 30, 1932.

John Greenwood Millers (1934)—Final dividend 2½ per cent., making 5 per cent. for year.

Anglo-Alpha Cement, Ltd.—Net profit £104,130. Two dividends paid, each of 5 per cent.

Dublin United Tramways.—An interim dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, less income-tax, on the Preferred stock for the half-year ended 30th ult.; and an ad interim dividend at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum, less income-tax, on the Ordinary stock for the same period (same as last year).

Great Northern Railway (Ireland).—Interim dividend on Guaranteed stock deferred until the end of the year. No dividends on Preference and Ordinary stocks.

Frank Mason and Co.—Dividend at the rate of 7½ per cent. per annum, less tax, for the six months ended March 31, 1936, on the 7½ per cent. Cumulative Particpating Preferred shares.

Friary Holroyd and Healys Breweries.—Final dividend on the Ordinary shares of 8 per cent., bringing the year's total to 13 per cent. (same).

IRISH FAIRS.

BALLYMENA.—Calves under nine months £5 to £8 17s 6d, six-quarter-olds £7 10s to £13, two-year-olds £10 10s to £15 10s; springers, £12 to £22 10s; heifers, £10 10s to £21 10s; milch cows, £11 to £18 10s; pigs, suckers 23s to 31s, twelve weeks 32s to 38s, stores 32s to 40s, brood sows £5 15s to £10, fat sows 32s 6d to 36s.

MULLAGH (Co. Cavan).—Calves under one month £2 10s to £3 5s, one to six months £3 10s to £6 5s, six to twelve months £6 to £9 10s, twelve to eighteen months £9 5s to £12 5s, 1½-year-olds £9 10s to £13, two-year-olds £12 to £14, two to three years £14 to £16 10s; milch cows, first class £13 to £15, second class £9 to £11; springing cows, first quality £15 to £18, second quality £11 10s to £14 10s; springing heifers, first quality £14 to £16 10s, second quality £13 to £15; strippers, £8 10s to £11; lambs, 28s to 30s; fat sheep, 42s 6d to 50s; suckers, pigs 25s to 30s.

FRIDAY'S CLOSING PRICES

MISCELLANEOUS SHARES			
British Plaster Board	27/6	Phillips Rubber Soles	24/9
British Portland Cement	4⅛	Pinchin Johns'n	32/6
British Ropes	8/4¼	Prices Trust	40/6
Cable & W. Pref.	98½	Radiation	53/9
Do. Ord.	53½	Ranks	18/6
Cereboe	8⅝	Reed (Austin)	38/9
E. K. Cole	6/10½	Robinson & Cleaver Ord.	32/0
Colman (J. J.)	3⅝	Do. Pref.	21/0
Crittall	12/9	Sangers	22/4½
Crosse & B'kwell	7½d	Sears	11/9
Decca Records	1/3	Schweppes	39/3
Do. Pref.	5/0	Scribbans	7/3
Dunlop	27/3	S. Smith Def.	9/3
Eastwoods	36/6	Smith Chips	26/10½
Eno Props.	6/0	Spillers	55/3
Finlay (Jas.)	56/0	Soudan Plant'ns	30/9
Fisher & Ludlow	25/0	S.K.F.	14 13-16
Forestal Lands	20/9	Swedish Match B	26/0
Foster Clark	28/6	Tate & Lyle	79/0
Gas, Light & Coke (£1)	24/7½	Tecalemit	13/3
Gaumont Brit. (10s)	4/10½	Timothy White & Taylors (5s)	25/6
Gen. Refract.	13/3	Triplex Glass	35/3
Gestetner	29/6	Trojan Holdings	8/9
Hovis	5⅛	Tube Investm'nt	88/0
Hudson's Bay	24/0	Tunnel P.C.	2⅛
Imp. Chemical	31/7½	Turner & Newall	79/6
Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	33/3	United Molasses	28/1½
Imp. Con. Gas	123½	Vine Products	16/6
Internat'l Paint	3½	Wallpaper Def.	35/9
Lever-Unilev'r	36/6	White, Tomkins & Courage	38/3
Lever-Unil. N.V.	41/9	Woolworth	66/0
Lever 20 p.c. Pf.	19/7½		
Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	31/0		

FIXED TRUST CHANGES.

Amalgamated Certs 20s 6d—21s 6d.
British General A 18s 6d bid.
Do. C 15s 3d—16s 3d.
British Industries Fourth 15s 9d—16s 9d.
First Recovery 4s 9d—5s 4½d.
Group Units:—Oil 21s bid.
Investors General 16s 7½d—17s 7½d.

UNPROFITABLE RESTAURANTS.

Mr. Walter M'George, junior, who traded as the Scottish White Heather Restaurant at addresses in the Strand, Oxford Street, Victoria Street, and Shaftesbury Avenue, attended yesterday at the London Bankruptcy Court for public examination. Debtor failed last March with total liabilities £29,136, and a deficiency of £26,400.

Replying to the Assistant Official Receiver, debtor said he equipped premises in the Strand at a cost of £5,000, and subsequently opened six branches in London. He attributed his faliure and insolvency to heavy rents and overhead expenses of the various shops.

The examination was concluded.

PRICES OF RECENT ISSUES.

Issue price.		Quotation.
£98	Bowater Lloyd Newfoundland Ltd. 4½ p.c. Guar 1st Deb. (£20 paid)	4½—3½ dis
£100	Montague Burton Ltd. 5 p.c. Secured Loan Stock 1940-60 (£50 paid)	1½—½ dis
£98½	Wolverhampton Corporation 3½ p.c. Stock, 1959-64 (£5 paid)	½—⅜ dis
£100	South Metropolitan Electric Light & Power Co., Ltd., 3½ p.c. Debs (£20 paid)	¾—¼ dis
20/6	Do. 4 p.c. Cum. 3rd Pref. £1 (5/6 paid)	6d dis—par
£99	Amal. Press 4 p.c. Deb. (£25 paid)	3—2 dis
£99	City of Pretoria 3½ per cent. 1953-58 (£5 paid)	1—¾ dis

NEW ISSUE PRICE.

Ohlssons (new) 16s 6d prem.

TO-DAY'S GOLD DEALINGS.

About 182 bars of the approximate value of £515,000 were disposed of in the London market to-day at 141s 6d per fine ounce, a decrease of ½d compared with Friday. The quotation was based on supply and demand and included a premium of 1½d over the dollar at 4.91⅜.

BULLION AND SPECIE.

Returns published in Friday's "London Gazette" show that the imports of gold between mid-day July 25 and mid-day July 28 totalled in value £2,374,092 against exports valued at £2,454,567. Silver imports were £3,012, and the exports £14,601.

BELFAST EXCHANGE.

THE WEEKLY SURVEY.

INACTIVE CONDITIONS.

GENERAL TREND REACTIONARY.

Conditions were dull and uninteresting in most departments of our local market this week, and the general trend of prices was reactionary. A feature, however, was a fair amount of activity in Local Boards.

In Gilt-edged stocks 3½ per cent. War Loan opened at 102 13-16, 15-16, eased to 102⅞, ¾, 11-16, and closed firm at 102¾, 103. Consols 4 per cent. were done at 110½. Conversion 3½ per cent. Loan was fairly active, changing hands at 103⅜, 103 7-16, 103½. The 5 per cent. Loan eased to 114⅜. Local Loans were dealt in at 88⅜. Ulster 5 per cent. Loan 114⅜.

Bank shares were inactive. Bank of Australasia changed hands at 8. Midland Partly remained at 9 13-16. Westminster Partly were done at 97s, 97s 6d, 96s 10½d. Provincial Banks were offered at 54s. There were sellers of Northern "A" at 96s and of the "B" at 47s 9d.

In Local Boards, Corporation 3½ per cent. 1940 receded to 100⅜. The 3½ per cent. 1973 was steady at 100½. The 1942 was bid for at 100. The 5 per cent. 1946 eased to 111. The 3½ per cent. Mortgages were in good demand at 99½. Belfast Harbour 3½ per cent. stocks improved. The 3½ per cent. 1953 to 100⅜. The 3½ per cent. 1965 to the same price. Belfast Water 5 per cent. 1946-61 firmed to 109, 109½. The 5 per cent. 1950-60 to 111½. The 3½ per cent. 1953-63 was in demand at 101. The 3½ per cent. 1963 at 98. N.I. Electricity 3 per cent. stock changed hands at 95.

Local rail stocks were neglected. Co. Down Ordinary was 1½ bid, with sellers asking 1¾. The 4 per cent. Debenture was in demand at 48½. The 5 per cent. and 4 per cent. Preference continued on offer of 9. Great Northern Railway 4 per cent. Debenture was on offer at 55. The Preference at 8. The Guaranteed was 26 bid.

Spinning and Textile shares were inactive. J. and P. Coats were dealt in at 38s 4½d. Courtaulds changed hands actively at 29s 4½d, 28s 1½d, 4½d, 2½d, 28s, and 28s 6d. Belfast Ropework Preference was in request at 11. York Street Ordinary at 3s. The Debenture offered at 85⅜. Richardson, Sons and Owden Preference closed sellers at 32s 6d.

In Bakery shares, Bernard Hughes Ordinary brought 35s for a small lot. They were closing buyers at 34s 9d. The Preference at 24s 6d. Inglis Ordinary were offered at 88s. The Preference improved to 27s 6d. The Debentures were wanted at 117s 6d.

In Drapery shares Goorwitch Ordinary brought 6s 3d for an odd lot. The Preference 17s 6d for an odd lot. John Arnotts were bid for at 50s and offered at 57s 6d. The Debenture bid for at 80. Bank Buildings Ordinary were offered at 19s. Robinson and Cleaver Preference in demand at 21s.

Tobacco shares were moderately active. British American Ordinary were done at 105s 6d, receding to 104s 7½d. Gallaher per cent. Preference 30s 7½d. Gallaher Ordinary were done at 127s 4½d. The Preference at 32s 4½d. Imperials brought 142s 3d for a small lot. The "C" Preferences were done at 49s 3d.

In the miscellaneous section Cammell Lairds were done at 7s 6½d. U.S. Steels were easier and fetched 63, 62¾, and 62⅜ dollars. Imperial Chemical Preferences were done at 33s 1½d. International Nickels were firm at 52¼ dollars. W. M. Cuthbert Ordinary improved to 38s 6d. Dunlop Rubbers were easier at 27s 7½d, 28s 3d. Sawers Ordinary were in demand at 20s 3d. Lever and Unilever 7 per cent. Preference were dealt in at 30s 9½d, 30s 10½d, and 20 per cent. Prefd. 19s 6d. Maypole Dairy Prefd. brought 2s 3d. M'Caw, Stevenson and Orr Debenture improved to 90½, and is bid for at 90. The Preference at 13s 6d. Swedish Match "B" changed hands at 25s 9d. Vulcanite Preference were in request at 12s 6d. Warden Ordinary offered at 3⅜. White Tomkins are bid for at 38s 6d. The Preference at 24s.

Other dealings were British Oxygen New Preference 10s paid repeated to 10s 5½d. Woolworth Preference were done at 30s 4½d, 30s 9d. Beecham Maclean New 3⅜, 2½, 3⅜ premium. Hawker Siddeleys 28s 6d. United British Shoe Machinery 5⅜. A small lot of N.I. Transport "B" stock was done at 55.

Burmah Oil Preference 41s 1½d. "Shell" Transports Ordinary 94s 1½d, 92s, and a small lot 92s. 7 per cent. Preference 34s.

Local Stocks.	Shares	Paid up	Price	Dividends per ann.	Yield per cent.
Ulster 3½%	100	100	102⅞	3½	3 8 5
Do. 4½%	100	100	107⅞	4½	4 3 5
Do. 5%	100	100	114⅞	5	4 7 2
Guaranteed 4%	100	100	112½	4½	4 0 0
Northern Bank A	10	2	*96/0	10½	4 7 6
Do. B	10	2	*47/9	5¼	4 7 11
National	5	1	53/6	12½	4 9 9
Provincial Bank	5	1	52/9	12½	4 15 3
Midland Bank	12	2½	*9 1-16	16	4 3 10
Do.	2½	2½	*10⅝	16	3 15 3
Westminster Bank	4	1	*97/3	20	4 2 3
Gt. Northern Rly	100	100	3	—	—
Do. 4% Deb.	100	100	50	4	8 0 0
Do. 4% Pref.	100	100	5	—	—
B. & C. D. Rly	100	100	1½	—	—
Do. 4% Deb.	100	100	*48⅞	4	8 5 4
Do. 3% Deb.	100	100	*46⅞	3	6 12 2
L M S	100	100	14¼	1½	10 10 6
Great Western	100	100	38	3½	9 4 3
Belfast Corp.					
Do. 1940	100	100	100⅛	3½	3 9 9
Do. 1942	100	100	101	3½	3 9 4
Do. 1961	100	100	111	5	4 10 1
Do. 1946/56	100	100	111	5	4 10 1
Do. 1955	100	100	93	3	3 4 6
Do. 1951	100	100	*106½	4½	4 4 9
Do. 1973	100	100	*100½	3½	3 9 6
Do. 1957	100	100	97¾	3¼	3 6 6
Belfast Corp. Mort.					
Do. 1945	100	100	*94⅛	3	3 3 9
Do. 1950	100	100	96	3¼	3 7 9
Do. 1943/49/53	100	100	99¼	3½	3 10 6
Do. 1961	100	100	*102⅝	6½	6 6 9
Do. 1940	100	100	99⅛	5	5 0 3
Do. 1943	100	100	93⅛	4½	4 11 6
Do. 1945	100	100	*104⅞	4½	4 6 4
Do. 1950	100	100	*106⅞	4½	4 4 11
Harbour, 1953/51	100	100	100½	3½	3 9 8
Do. 1961/81	100	100	100½	3½	3 9 8
Do. 1972/81	100	100	98½	3½	3 10 9
Water.					
Do. 5% 1946/61	100	100	109⅛	5	4 11 9
Do. 5% 1950/60	100	100	111¼	5	4 9 11
Do. 3½% 1963	100	100	98¼	3½	3 11 3
Do. 3½% 1953/58	100	100	*95½	3	3 2 10
Do. 3½% 1953/63	100	100	101¼	3½	3 9 2
N.I. Electric Gtd. 1955/60	100	100	95	3	3 3 2
Belfast Rope Ord.	Stk	£1	20/4½	4	3 13 6
Do. Pref.	10	10	11	5	4 10 11
J. & P. Coats	Stk	£1	38/3	10	5 4 7
Linen Thread Ord.	Stk	£1	29/3	8½	5 16 3
Do. Pref. Ord.	Stk	£1	24/0	6	5 0 0
Do. Pref.	Stk	£1	24/0	5	4 3 4
Old Bleach 6% Pref	£1	£1		6	
Richardson Sons & Owden, Ord.	5	5	15/0	—	—
6% Pref.	5	5	22/6	—	—
York Street Ord.	Stk	£1	3/0	—	—
Do. 6% Pref	Stk	£1	10/0	6	12 0 0
Do. 4% Deb.	100	100	*85⅞	4½	5 5 5
B. Hughes Ord.	1	1	35/3	10	5 13 6
Do. Pref.	1	1	*24/3	6	4 18 0
Do. Deb.	10	10	*11½	5	4 6 11
Inglis Ord	1	1	88/6	20	4 12 6
Do. Pref.	1	1	27/6	6	4 7 3
Do. Deb.	5	5	117/6	5	4 5 1
Distillers	1	1	95/9	22½	4 11 2
Guinness	1	1	112/3	29	5 2 6
Arnott Ord	5	5	55/0	8	7 5 6
Do. Deb.	100	100	93⅛	4½	5 7 10
Goorwitch, Ltd. Ord	5/-	5/-	6/3	—	—
Do. Pref.	1	1	*19/1½	6	6 5 6
Robertson, Ledlie Ord.	1	1	19/0	6	6 6 4
Do. Pref.	1	1	23/9	6	5 1 1
R. Cleaver Pref.	1	1	21/0	5	4 15 3
Do. Deb.	100	100	98½	4	4 1 3
R. Watson Ord.	10	10	*10⅞	10	9 14 0
Do. Pref.	1	1	17/3	5	5 15 11
Young & Anderson Pref.	1	1	1/9	—	—
Fairbairn Ord.	1	1	1/0	—	—
Harland & W. "B" Ord.	Stk	1	4/6	—	—
B. A. Tobacco	Stk	£1	104/4½	20†	3 16 8
Do. 6% Pref.	Stk	£1	30/7½	6	3 18 5
Gallahers Ordy.	1	1	126/0	27½	4 8 0
Do. Pref.	1	1	32/4½	6½	4 0 4
Imperial Tobacco	Stk	£1	141/3	25	3 10 10
Leahy Kelly Ord.	5	5	11⅛	13½	5 18 5
Sawers Ord.	1	1	*20/3	6	5 18 5
Do. Pref.	1	1	20/9	5	4 16 5
W.M.Cuthbert Ord	5/-	5/-	38/6	40	5 3 11
Do. Pref.	1	1	27/6	6	4 7 3
Dunlops	Stk	£1	27/3	9	6 12 1
Forster Green	5	5	5	6	6 0 0
Lever Bros. 7% Pf.	Stk	£1	31/0	7	4 10 4
Do. 8% Pf.	Stk	£1	33/6	8	4 15 7
Martin Estates	10	10	9⅞	4	5 5 4
M'Caw Pref.	1	1	13/7½	5	7 6 10
Do. Deb.	100	100	90½	4½	4 19 5
Vulcanite Ord.	5/-	5/-	*16/6	40	12 2 6
Wardens Ord.	5	5	3⅞	6	8 5 6
Do. Pref	5	5	*3⅞	5	6 11 2
White Tomkins Ord.	1	1	38/7½	10	5 3 7
Do Pref	1	1	24/4½	5	4 2 1
N. I. T'port 4% A1	100	100	101	4	3 19 3
Do 5% B	100	100	65	—	—

†Free of tax. *Ex-dividend.

OUR RACING REVIEW

By 'Pink 'Un'

The appearance of the entries for the Cambridgeshire and Cesarewitch remind us that the season has reached its half-way stage.

Those for the short-distance race total 108, or eleven more than twelve months ago. There are 129 subscribers to the Cesarewitch, these figures being two short of last year's number.

There are fifteen French horses entered for the Cambridgeshire, all of which were made in Paris, and their names are not yet to hand.

An interesting entry is Portmarnock, whom Mr. Fawcett placed at the head of his two-year-old handicap last year. Boyd-Rochfort's colt has not lived up to his juvenile form, and could do no better than finish eighth in the Derby, for which he was joint-second favourite with Scottish Union. If he is trained for the Cambridgeshire he should do well, for nine furlongs appears to be his ideal distance.

Matt Peacock has entered his good colt, Merry Mathew, and others I note are Goya II., Artist's Prince (also entered in the Cesarewitch), Black Speck, Thankerton, Flag of Truce, Seventh Wonder, Faroe, and St. Magnus. Joe Lawson, Frank Butters, Captain Boyd-Rochfort, Jack Jarvis, and Fred Darling are strongly represented in the race.

Perhaps the most interesting nomination in the Cesarewitch is Epigram, whose Queen Alexandra Stakes and Goodwood Cup successes entitle him to be rated the best stayer in training at the present time. No doubt the handicapper will make him top weight, but it is going to be a difficult matter to find one to beat him if he retains his form.

It is good to know that Epigram is to be kept in training another season. After his victory at Goodwood on Thursday Mr. Rank, his owner, stated it was his intention to let the horse take his chance in next year's Gold Cup at Ascot, and after that he would probably retire him to the stud, where he is sure to get back the 4,500 guineas which his owner paid for him as a two-year-old.

Punch and Fet, who were first and second respectively twelve months ago, are again entered, and though the former has done nothing since he is sure to be seen to advantage when conditions underfoot become more to his liking.

BANK HOLIDAY RACING.

This being Bank Holiday week-end there is the usual glut of racing. On Monday meetings are listed for Sandown Park, Birmingham, and Ripon, while Brighton takes the place of Sandown on the Tuesday. Thus followers will have a wide choice, though it may not be easy to find winners, as fields in many instances will be unwieldy, and form may be turned upside down.

TERRACE

is one I have been waiting some time for. I note he is engaged in the Lammas Stakes at Sandown Park on Monday. He was second to Benedict over a mile at Newcastle in June, and with a run he should not be opposed. In his absence **Tartan** may prove good enough.

The Lonsdale Handicap has met with a satisfactory acceptance, and I would advise readers to have a saver on

GREENROOM.

Coll. Leader's colt was heavily backed when beaten by Shifting Sands at Newmarket a month ago, and has missed several engagements since probably with the Sandown liability in view.

ROWAN LEAF

has quite a useful record, and being an easy ride for a boy should be backed in the Hermitage Apprentices' Handicap.

BASRA Colt

and **Curtain Call** may be seen fighting out the finish of the Holiday Two-Year-Old Plate, and the former scored with such ease at Newbury last month that I am not going to oppose him now.

The Lubbock Sprint Handicap I assign to

EPINAL,

who ran Aegisthus to a short head at Liverpool recently, and a reproduction of that form should be good enough to earn him brackets.

FLYING CLOUD III.

and **By Request** can fight their Newmarket battle over again in the Maiden Two-Year-Old Plate. The former won from end to end at headquarters, and should confirm the form.

FAIR DEAL

looks good enough to account for his rivals in the Selling High-Weight Handicap, for prior to being narrowly beaten at Hurst Park he beat a good field of platers at Bath.

BIRMINGHAM HINTS.

Good sport is promised at Birmingham on Monday and Tuesday. On the opening day the Warwickshire Breeders' Foal Plate is the chief item, and here the penalised Belle Travers should play a prominent part.

Snow White is possessed of plenty of speed, but with 9st 7lb Quick Action colt has too much to do.

Firelight ran well when second to Quick Action colt at Gatwick, and on the altered terms should easily account for Persse's charge.

The one who appeals to me most is

BALVALLEY,

who ran second to Vibration in a similar sort of race at Leicester, and should go one better.

The August Handicap Plate can attract a good field of middle-distance horses, and here I am going to go nap on

AFRICAN SISTER,

who has been second twice recently, and looks to me like a handicap certainty. Only in her absence would I select **Llanarmon.**

TOPLADY

ran second to Albany Girl (who has since enhanced the form) at the last meeting over the Birmingham course, and should pay to follow in the Tamworth Maiden Plate.

I take Nettleweed, Incantator, Poetic Licence, and Discord as the pick of the Ruckley Plate, and

NETTLEWEED,

who won at Bath, may follow up that success at the expense of **Incantator.**

On Tuesday the Droitwich Plate is the chief event, and it may be unnecessary to look beyond

CONCENTRATION,

a very easy winner at the Newmarket First July meeting. Next best, **Mickie Bulger.**

If reserved for the Midland Plate

FIRELIGHT

should be worth attention. Next best may be **Invitation.**

The Packington Welter Plate I leave to

HIGHLANDER II.,

who has taken five of the six races he has been saddled for this season.

HONEYBUN

should have won at Nottingham, but she should make amends by taking the Coventry Handicap from **Dusky.**

LIKELY WINNERS AT RIPON.

Large entries have been received for both days of the Ripon Meeting, and the sport should be well up to the standard usually associated with the venue.

The Great St. Wilfrid Handicap is the feature at the initial stage.

Pikanti holds the liability here, but is engaged at Catterick Bridge after these notes are written, so it is hardly likely he will be asked for another effort so soon.

Assuming the absence of Jack Colling's four-year-old it is with some confidence I nominate

XANTHENE

as the likely winner. He is unbeaten in three outings this season, and should carry on the good work. **The Sanctuary** looks his most dangerous rival

QUARTERMASTER

makes most appeal in the Fishergreen Plate, while

HIGH TIDE

will take all the beating the best can give in the **August Stakes.**

TO-DAY'S MARKETS

Belfast Report.

BUTTER—Print 1s 3d to 1s 6d, lump 1s 2d to 1s 4d per lb, retail; farmers' 11d to [illegible] per lb. wholesale.

BUTTERMILK—3s 6d per rundlet.

VEGETABLES—Potherb celery [illegible] rhubarb 9d to 1s 3d, parsley [illegible] 8s to 10s, scallions 4s to [illegible] root 5s to 8s, white turnips [illegible] to 8s—per dozen bundles; cauliflowers [illegible] 4s, lettuce 4d to 8d—per dozen; pampas [illegible] to 20s per 120; radishes 6d to 8d [illegible] turnips 15s to 18s, Aberdeen 5s to [illegible] dozen bundles; peas 1s 6d to 2s per [illegible] beans 9d to 1s 3d per bushel; carrots [illegible] parsnips 6s to 9s—per dozen bundles.

POTATOES—British Queens, Arran Pilot, Ballydoon 2s 6d to 4s—per cwt.

HAY—Upland new unseeded 3s [illegible] meadow 2s 3d to 2s 9d, timothy 2s 8d to [illegible] —per cwt.

FRUIT—Gooseberries 3s to 3s 6d per [illegible] strawberries 10d to 1s, raspberries [illegible] —per lb.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR (Official Report). Market quiet and unchanged in [illegible] of London advices.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—A fair demand prevailed with light supplies and prices [illegible] Salmon, English 2s 5d to 2s 11d, [illegible] 2s 2d to 3s 2d, Irish 2s to 2s 5d, salmon [illegible] 1s to 1s 10d, soles 1s to 2s, sups 1s [illegible] lobsters 6d to 1s 7d, crabs 2d to 1s [illegible] doreys 3s, turbot 5s to 8s 6d, brill [illegible] plaice 5s to 8s, halibut 2s to 12s, [illegible] 6s to 11s, witches 4s to 6s, cod 2s [illegible] whiting 1s to 4s, hake 4s to 7s, flat fish) 4s 6d to 6s 6d, haddocks 2s [illegible] skate wings 4s to 6s 6d, roker wings [illegible] English fresh herrings 2s, Scottish 2s [illegible] per stone; live eels 10s to 24s, dead [illegible] —per draught; bloaters 4s, kippers [illegible] 6s 6d—per box; periwinkles, Irish [illegible] Scottish 10s to 12s—per cwt., shrimps [illegible] 3s per gallon.

IRISH MARKETS.

BALLYMENA.—Potatoes, old 2s [illegible] new 4s to 6s per cwt.; hay, upland [illegible] 3s 10d, meadow 2s to 2s 9d, deseeded [illegible] to 2s 6d per cwt.; straw, 2s to 2s 6d [illegible] oats, 8s 3d to 8s 9d per cwt.

CARRICKMACROSS.—Eggs, 1s [illegible] dozen; butter, country 1s 2d per lb.; chickens 4s per pair; potatoes, 3d to [illegible] stone.

CASTLEDERG.—Butter, lump 8d to [illegible] print 1s to 1s 2d per lb.; pork [illegible] graded prices; young pigs, 25s to 30s [illegible] oats, 11d to 1s per stone; fowl, chickens 2s 6d to 3s, hens 2s to 2s 3d, ducks 1s [illegible] each; eggs, fixed prices; potatoes, new [illegible] 6s per cwt, retail; hay, upland 2s 6d to [illegible] meadow 2s to 2s 9d per cwt.; oat straw, [illegible] to 2s per cwt.; lime, 1s 9d per cwt.

COOTEHILL.—Eggs, 1s 1d per dozen; [illegible] chickens 1s 4d to 1s 8d, hens 10d to 1s, ducks 9d to 10d each; new potatoes, 10d to 1s per stone; cabbage plants, 1s 3d to 1s 5d per [illegible] curleys, 1s to 1s 2d per 100; country butter, 10d to 1s 1d per lb.

DERRY.—Hay, 60s to 70s per ton; straw, 30s to 35s per ton; potatoes, new 7d to 8d per stone; turf, 12s to 14s per load; bogwood, [illegible] to 18s per load.

FINTONA.—Butter, lump 11d to 1s, print 1s 1d per lb.; pork, 82 carcases; young pigs, 25s to 32s each; fowl, chickens 8d per lb; potatoes, new 10d per stone.

LETTERKENNY.—Live pigs weight scaled, standard prices; eggs, hen and duck 1s per dozen; poultry, hens 1s 5d, ducks 1s 3d to 1s 6d, chickens 1s 6d to 2s each; butter, lump 9d to 10d, print 1s to 1s 2d per lb.; turf, [illegible] per load; bogwood, 12s per load; potatoes, 9d to 1s per stone; hay, £2 10s to £2 15s per ton; straw, £1 7s 6d to £1 10s per ton; young pigs, 20s to 25s each; wool, black or Scottish unwashed 3d, white 4d per lb.

LISNASKEA.—Butter, lump 6d to 10d, creamery 1s 3d per lb.; fowl, chickens 1s 8d to 3s, hens 1s to 1s 6d, ducks 1s to 2s each; eggs, hen 10½d per lb., duck 11½d per dozen.

MALIN.—Butter, lump 8d to 9d, print 9d to 11d per lb.; eggs, hen and duck 1s per dozen; potatoes, old 2s 9d to 3s 6d per cwt., new 1s 2d to 1s 4d per stone; oat straw, 35s to 40s per ton; hay, upland 55s to 60s per ton; turf, 5s per load.

NEWTOWNARDS.—Butter, 1s 2d to 1s 4d per lb.; fowl, chickens 2s to 2s 3d, hens 1s 9d to 2s each; potatoes, 5s per cwt.; young pigs, 30s to 40s each.

PORTADOWN.—Butter, lump 1s to 1s 2d, print 1s 2d to 1s 4d per lb.; fowl, hens 1s 6d to 1s 10d, ducks 1s to 2s, chickens 1s 6d to 2s 9d each; potatoes, 4s to 5s per cwt.; pork, 190 dead pigs.

DUNGANNON COUNCIL.

BUTTER AND EGG MARKETS.

Mr. Robert Leith presided at a meeting of Dungannon Urban Council on Friday evening when the Council decided to sell the butter and egg markets.

It was decided to erect road warning signs at Drumglass, Union Place and the Presentation Brothers P.E. Schools in the urban area.

Reporting on the result of the recent valuation appeals, the Clerk stated that the parochial hall figure had been reduced from £47 to £6 and the Great Northern Railway Company's total valuation had been decreased from £46 10s to £13.

OMAGH LAWN TENNIS.

RAIN AGAIN SPOIL SPORT.

Rain seriously interfered with the progress of play in this tournament yesterday and the courts were again flooded. The following were the results of the championship events.

Men's Singles—Semi-final—E. A. Clarke beat J. W. Adrain 6-0, 6-1.

Ladies' Singles—Semi-final—Miss P. Reade beat Miss N. M. Conway 6-2, 6-1.

Mixed Doubles—Third round—J. N. Colville and Miss D. Young beat T. B. Barnes and Mrs. Miller 6-4, 4-6, 7-5; W. E. Caldwell and Miss N. M. Conway beat R. N. Blake and Miss Garnett 6-1, 6-2.

MONAGHAN HEALTH BOARD.

COST OF NEW COUNTY HOSPITAL.

An adjourned meeting of Monaghan Board of Health was held on Friday, Mr. Thomas M'Aree (chairman) presiding.

The Secretary submitted a list of payments in connection with the new County Hospital at Monaghan to date, amounting to £86,198 0s 4d.

Mr. Forgrave—Has this all been paid?

The Chairman—Yes.

It was stated the amount of £783 1s was due to the contractor on a final settlement.

The Board considered the question of settling the amount of supplemental loan required to complete the new hospital.

It was decided that the total amount yet to be expended would come to £8,662, making a gross total of £94,860. The Board's share of this, at 15 per cent., amounts to £14,250.

The remainder of the cost of the undertaking is being borne by the Hospital Trust Fund.

The Board agreed to re-erect in the new County Hospital a memorial stained glass window erected to the memory of the late Dr. Hall in the old County Hospital, and which was removed during the demolition of the old building.

Following the resignation of the house surgeon, Dr. M. Gorman, it was agreed to continue the services of Dr. Arnold (Co. Cavan) in a temporary capacity until a permanent appointment was made.

BATTALION COMMAND CHANGES.

Major V. A. C. Yate, M.C., the Durham Light Infantry has been selected for command of the 2nd Battalion the Durham Light Infantry, vice Lieut.-Colonel J. D. C. Hasted, D.S.O., who has been placed on the half-pay list at his own request.

Major and Brevet Lieut.-Colonel A. Galloway, M.C., has been selected for command of the 1st Battalion the Cameronians, vice Lieut.-Colonel [illegible] Drew, D.S.O., who was appointed to the staff.

FISHGUARD,

beaten a head by Blue H[illegible] recent Lanark Meeting, is my [illegible] the Bondgate Handicap, with **Mystery Man** the danger.

In the Hackfall Apprentice [illegible] not going to oppose

TATTOO II.,

who scored very easily at [illegible] is an easy mount for a boy. [illegible] may be **Piana.**

At the second stage the [illegible] Welter Handicap will attract [illegible] tion, and I am going to row [illegible]

HYPOTHESIS,

who is nicely handicapped, and [illegible] give backers a sound run. [illegible] **M. Peacock's Selected.**

If sent to contest the G[illegible] Handicap I would give

FOLLOW ME LEADER

a chance to make amends [illegible] expensive failures this sea[illegible] best, **Gownsman.**

OLD ALE

has been second in her last [illegible] and is my selection for the C[illegible] Plate. **M. Peacock's Selected** [illegible] the danger.

They are a moderate lot in the [illegible] Plate, and

BONNIE PRINCE CHARLIE

may score from **Phenicien II.**

BREVITIES.

[illegible] up time 10-33, rear lamps [illegible] one minute earlier. High-[illegible] Belfast to-morrow 2-32 a.m., Monday 3-17 a.m., 3-33 p.m.

[illegible] engineers employed by [illegible] and & Wolff, Ltd., who went [illegible] Friday over a wages agree-[illegible] according to a Belfast official [illegible] Amalgamated Engineering Union, [illegible] work on Monday pending [illegible] for a settlement.

[illegible]OTOGRAPH CANVASSERS.

[illegible] of the "Belfast Telegraph" [illegible] their readers that no person [illegible] authority from them to approach [illegible] have been bereaved with a view [illegible] orders for copies of enlargements [illegible] of deceased relatives.

Holiday Weather

Unsettled: Sea Rough

TO-DAY'S weather forecast [illegible]—

[illegible] and—Wind south to south-[illegible] or strong, gale locally at [illegible] rating; cloudy; occasional [illegible] ice temperature.

[illegible] outlook—Remaining fair [illegible] south-east; unsettled in the [illegible] west.

[illegible] Sea — Wind south-west, [illegible] locally at first, modera-[illegible] cloudy; occasional rain; [illegible] moderate; sea rough.

BURNT ORPHANAGE.

TIPPERARY OUTRAGE—COURT SEQUEL.

CHARGE OF FIRING HOUSE.

MAN ACCUSED AT BIRR.

The burning of Portland House, Co. Tipperary, in May last had a [illegible] Birr District Court.

[illegible] and House was bought from a gentleman and was to be turned [illegible] Protestant orphanage.

[illegible] before the children were to be [illegible] there it was burned to the ground.

Thomas Hough, Arrigahorig, was charged with others not in custody with setting fire to the place.

Mary Densemore identified the accused as one of two men who were in her room on the night of the fire.

In cross-examination she said one man remained in her room all the time. When they left they issued no warning. She looked carefully at the men in the parade and was quite positive in her identification.

Margaret Meredith gave evidence of going twice to Mrs. Densemore's room that night. The first time there was a man in her room. She saw the man on the landing with a petrol can in his hand. When the house was blazing, she saw men leave by the fields. She attended an identification parade at Templemore, but did not recognise any of the men. Superintendent O'Boyle gave evidence of conducting an identification parade. There were five suspects and fourteen other men.

Mrs. Densemore said she saw the accused in Portland Park on May 10, that was all sh ecould conscientiously swear to.

DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT.

Accused, when charged, said: "I am innocent of the whole transaction. That is all I have to say."

Cross-examined witness said none of the suspected men asked to see a solicitor en route to Templemore.

Inspector O'Reilly, Thurles, gave evidence of a statement taken from accused when not cautioned or charged, giving a detailed account of his movements on the evening of the fire up till the time he went to bed, no one left the house after that. He did not hear about the house being burned until the following evening. He then said: "Powerful work." For six weeks before it was talked of for miles round that a "birds nest was being established at Portland House." All the people were curious and saying "the damn thing" should not be allowed. It would be all right in the city. The whole country, without exception, was up against it. He never heard the house was going to be burned. He had no hand, act or part in it, nor did he know anyone who had. He was not sorry to hear it was burned. If anything, he was glad. He never wore a scarf in his life.

CASE OF EAMON DONNELLY.

EIRE MINISTRY'S ATTITUDE.

A letter was read at Queenstown Urban Council on Friday night from the Eire Ministry of External Affairs regarding the resolution passed by the Council demanding Eamonn Donnelly's release. The Ministry wrote: "You may assure the members that the matter has not been overlooked by the Minister."

HELEN'S BAY ACCIDENT.

BELFAST MAN IN HOSPITAL.

As the result of an accident whilst cycling at Ballysallagh, Helen's Bay, on Friday, Edward J. Ardill, Barnett's Road, Knock, is detained in Bangor Cottage Hospital, suffering from head and face injuries. The bicycle was badly damaged.

FILM ACTOR'S RELAPSE.

BRIAN AHERNE ILL IN PARIS.

Mr. Brian Aherne, the English film actor, who has been seriously ill with throat trouble in the American Hospital, Paris, has had a relapse, it was learned to-day, and has had to return to the hospital.

The latest news is that he is "progressing." He is suffering from quinsy. Brian is the brother of Mr. Patrick Aherne, husband of Renee Houston.

PURDYSBURN HOSPITAL.

CONDITION OF PATIENTS.

The following report was issued from the hospital to-day:—

[illegible] (dangerously ill)—726.

[illegible] (seriously ill, no immediate [illegible]) [illegible] 9 15 99 180 195 199 213 214 215 [illegible] 8 219 220 222 223 224 225 226 227

[illegible] (ill, making satisfactory progress) [illegible] 903 915 983 48 67 134 140 151 170 [illegible] 177 178 182 183 184 185 186 187 [illegible] 191 192 193 194 196 197 198 200 [illegible] 204 205 206 207 208 209 211 212

A[illegible] (convalescent and doing well)—

[illegible] may be made by telephone [illegible] those in Classes 1 and 2 between [illegible] m. and 5 and 6 p.m. 'Phone [illegible] telephone must not be used in [illegible]

PALESTINE TERRORISM.

[illegible] FOUND AMONG GRAPES.

[illegible] police on Friday were searching [illegible] vegetable and fruit carriers [illegible] Mahanneh Yehudah, the large [illegible] market in Jerusalem, two bombs [illegible] under a load of grapes car-[illegible] donkey, states the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post" correspondent. [illegible] the animal was arrested.

[illegible] licensed to carry arms held [illegible] small armed band which at-[illegible] convoy of 21 cars and lorries. [illegible] vehicles, which were carrying [illegible] workers to the Dead Sea from [illegible] into a barricade. While [illegible] were trying to remove it they [illegible] a mine concealed by stones. [illegible] moment fire was opened on [illegible] the hills on both sides of the [illegible]

[illegible] returned the fire and suc-[illegible] defended the convoy till police arrived.

[illegible] hundred town workers have [illegible] to an appeal by the Jewish [illegible] volunteers to assist in the [illegible] of Jewish settlements in rural [illegible]

RANGOON QUIETER.

BUT MILITARY POLICE FIRE ON CROWD.

DEATHS NOW EXCEED 50.

BODIES LYING IN SIDE STREETS.

After four days of rioting—originating in bad feeling over the publication of an Indian Moslem book, now banned—Rangoon appeared this morning to be emerging from its nightmare.

Most European firms have re-opened.

Official figures of casualties since Tuesday are—53 dead and 279 injured.

The number of injured is unofficially given as much higher, however—404.

A number of bodies lying in side streets in West Rangoon are not yet removed.

Damage to property is estimated at £15,000.

Military Police opened fire again to-day near Insein, a suburb of Rangoon. One man was seriously injured.—Reuter.

CORRIGAN SAILS FOR NEW YORK.

THE SEND-OFF AT CORK.

'PLANE TRANSFER DELAYED.

Douglas Corrigan, the American airman who flew the Atlantic by mistake recently, set out on the final part of his return journey this morning aboard the United States Lines flagship Manhattan for New York from Queenstown.

Heavy rain and dense haze prevailed as the liner from Southampton and the Continent entered Cork Harbour shortly after five o'clock.

Corrigan, who had stayed overnight in Cork, reached Cove about four this morning accompanied by Mr. Leslie Woods, American Consul, Cork, and Mr. R. Patterson, Vice-Consul. Having completed preliminaries in connection with the voyage, Corrigan entered the temporarily - erected broadcasting station on Deepwater Quay, where he broadcast a message to the American people in reply to questions put to him by the announcer in New York under the auspices of the Columbia Broadcasting Company of America.

In the course of the message Corrigan said that owing to unforeseen circumstances the line could not arrange for the transfer of the 'plane back to America. He believed that despite rumours otherwise that the 'plane had still a good many years service in her. He hopes to carry the 'plane to the Eastern towns of America, to which he has been invited by their Mayors.

Since landing, he said, he had had very little sleep, an average of six hours, with two only last night, but, still, he felt quite well.

Dealing with his reception at Cork, he said—"Its Lord Mayor and big fellows of the city were at the station to meet me, and they brought me to my first banquet, where I made my maiden speech, but it only occupied about a minute." He said Mr. De Valera was one man he liked meeting in Eire, and "he is really a great fellow."

Referring to airports, he told his listeners that "there were many in Ireland. The fellows at the airport when they saw the licence on the 'plane knew immediately that I had come from some place on the other side, and they treated me well. When I called at our Legation in Dublin they were sceptical at first, but later were satisfied."

THE MISSING 'PLANE.

"THICK OIL AREA" FOUND.

WARSHIPS JOIN IN SEARCH.

MANILA (Philippine Islands), Saturday.—Rumours prevalent in New York's Chinatown that the Pan-American Airways £90,000 flying-boat, Hawaii Clipper, which has been missing for 24 hours, might have been the victim of sabotage, are ridiculed by officials.

The rumours were based on the fact that one of the passengers, a Mr. Wah Sun Choy, a New York restaurant proprietor, was taking to China a large sum of money subscribed by Chinese merchants in the United States for the Chinese cause.

The Clipper was bound on a 1,600-miles flight from Guam Island to Manila when it disappeared.

The area in which the Clipper last reported her position has already been scoured by six Army bombers without result. "We have found nothing" is the terse message they have wirelessed to headquarters.

Fourteen warships, including an aircraft tender, are now speeding from Manila to carry on the search by sea.

The transport ship Meigse reported later to-day that she had found a "thick oil area" at the spot where the Hawaii clipper last reported her position. This is taken as almost certain indication that the 'plane sank, presumably taking all aboard with her.

The captain of the Meigse, in a wireless message intercepted here, reported that he was lowering a boat to investigate an oil patch about 1,500 feet in circumference to obtain samples. The exact position where the oil was found is about 60 miles west of the position given by the clipper in her last broadcast.

A similar oil patch was the first clue to the loss of her sister ship the Samoan clipper, which exploded in mid-air in January while making an experimental flight to New Zealand. The Meigse did not report finding any wreckage.—Reuter.

"STILL HOPE," SAYS COMPANY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Saturday.—Pan-American Airways, owners of Hawaii Clipper, said they had not yet given up hope. They expressed the belief that the oil might have been dumped for emergency landing, and added it was still possible Clipper might be found afloat.—Reuter.

SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS.

MAN HANGS HIMSELF IN CELL.

MARSEILLES, Saturday.—A few hours after he had been sentenced by the War Council here to 15 years' imprisonment for espionage, a man named Kurt Low hanged himself in his prison cell.—Reuter.

ULSTER SENATE VACANCY.

LABOUR UNIONIST MAY FILL IT.

No steps have as yet been taken to fill the vacancy in the Senate of Northern Ireland created by the death of Mr. J. Hill Dickson, and it is not likely that the seat will be filled until the House of Commons, the members of which elect the Senators, re-assembles on October 4.

Although the late Mr. Hill Dickson was a representative of County Down, it is probable that his successor will be a nominee of the Ulster Unionist Labour Association. Since the Senate was constituted in 1921 up to last year the Labour Unionists always held three seats in the House, but since the death of Mr. H. Quigley at the time of the Senate election in June last year their representation has been reduced to two members—Mr. Joseph Cunningham and Mr. Wm. Barclay.

It is understood that at the forthcoming by-election the opportunity will be taken to restore their former strength.

RUGBY 'NATIONAL'S POST.

D. L. K. Milman, who was capped for England against Wales in 1937, and who played against all three countries last season as a back-row forward, is joining the teaching staff at Fettes College after the summer vacation.

His appointment to Fettes College follows upon the resignation of J. I. Rees, the Welsh internationalist and Edinburgh Wanderers' captain, who has been appointed to the head mastership of Cowbridge School, Wales.

HANKOW DEFENCE.

JAPANESE WILL FIND ATTACK COSTLY.

CHINESE DIFFERENCES.

REDS' THREAT TO CHIANG KAI-SHEK

SHANGHAI, Saturday. — With the Japanese 140 miles away, General Chiang Kai-shek has completed his plans for the defence of Hankow, the Chinese military headquarters and second greatest city still in the hands of the Chinese Government.

The plans nearly led to a break with his Communist allies.

In pursuance of tactics announced come time ago, General Kai-shek proposed to withdraw his own Central troops as soon as the Japanese approached the city.

The Communists threatened that if he did they would smash the united front which was formed at the outbreak of the hostilities with Japan between the Government, the Communists, and other elements.

Confronted with this threat, General Chiang agreed to fight in defence of Hankow as long as possible, making the action as costly as he could for the Japanese.

This plan has now been accepted by the Communists. — Press Association Foreign Special.

GIRL GUIDE'S DEED OF HEROISM.

SAVING DOOMED BATTALION

SHE WILL SOON BE IN ENGLAND.

As brave a deed as was ever done is recorded of Miss Yang Hui-Min, 21-year-old Chinese Girl Guide, who will shortly arrive in England on her way to Vassar College, U.S.A., to represent China at the World Youth Congress from August 15 to 24.

When the Chinese retreat from Shanghai began last November, 300 men, known as the Doomed Battalion, hung on in a house 100 yards from the International Settlement determined to die to the last man.

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, however, decided that they must, if possible, flee into the settlement.

The intervening strip of road was ceaselessly swept by Japanese machine-guns. Who would take the order?

Miss Yang volunteered with two others. Carrying the Chinese flag, she dshed across the road. Most of the 300 men, including the wounded, escaped to the settlement, among the last to leave being Miss Yang, who had stayed to attend to the wounded.

As a child in Chinkiang, the big city on the Yangtse, between Nanking and Shanghai, Miss Yang was looked on by the old fashioned folk as a "wild girl." She was the first Chinese girl in Chinkiang to be able to swim and to ride a bicycle.

When Japan seized Manchuria in 1931 she joined an Amazon corps, formed from the girls of her school, and went to Manchuria to help the Chinese guerillas, who still give the Japanese great trouble in Manchuria.

Since her exploit at Shanghai, Miss Yang has been in charge of an Air Force Club at Hankow, as Mme. Chiang Kai-shek decided that her life was too valuable to be risked any more in field service.

With six other young Chinese and a large party of young British people, Miss Yang sails for America on August 6.—Reuter.

JAP WARSHIP SINKING CLAIMED.

SHANGHAI, Friday.—A bombing raid carried out below Kiukiang, on the Yangtse, has resulted in the sinking of a large Japanese warship, according to a claim by the Hankow Government to-day.

The report states that in addition to the ship which was sunk a number of others were hit in the vicinity of Hukow.

It is also claimed Chinese troops have recaptured Siaochihkow, opposite Kiukiang. This sector has been the scene of bitter fighting. Kiukiang was recently captured by the Japanese after their naval guns had poured an almost unceasing cannonade into the ranks of the defenders, practically annihilating them.—Central News.

BRITISH WOMAN MALTREATED.

SHANGHAI, Friday.—A British woman, whose name is not given, figured in an incident with Japanese sentries this afternoon.

The sentries roughly handled the woman as they hustled her across a garden bridge.

A British police officer who attempted to aid the woman and remonstrate with the sentries was also struck and had a button ripped off his jacket.

The arrival of Japanese police and other Settlement police avoided further developments in the incident.—Central News.

U.S. EMBASSY IN CHINA TO MOVE.

WASHINGTON, Friday.—Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, to-day announced that Mr. Nelson Johnson, the American Ambassador to China, is to evacuate Hankow on August 1 on the gunboat Tutila, and is to establish a new Embassy at Chunking.—(Exchange.

AIR-RAID PRECAUTIONS.

MEETING AT BALLYMENA.

There was a large attendance in the Town Hall, Ballymena, on Friday evening, for the purpose of discussing air-raid precautions. Mr. Wm. Shaw, chairman of the Urban Council, occupied the chair, and an address was given by Mr. C. C. M'Creight, Air-Raid Precautions Officer for Northern Ireland, who demonstrated the different types of respirators, protective clothing, etc.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

WEAKNESS OF DISCOUNT RATES.

Typical Saturday conditions prevailed to-day in the Money Market and loan rates were barely maintained at ½ per cent.

The weakness of discount rates became pronounced as a consequence of the further decline in Treasury bill rates on Friday and the further reduction in the amount offered for tender next week.

Two, three, and four months bank bills were quoted at 17-32 to 9-16 per cent. and six months at 9-16 to ⅝ per cent., but business was reported at the lower figures.

Silver was rather dull, bars at 19⅞d spot and 19⅞d forward; cake at 20⅜d spot and 20⅜d forward. Both the forward quotations were 1-16d lower.

GIRL PAWNED BY FATHER.

AND BROTHERS TRIED TO SELL HER.

LUCKNOW, Saturday.—Pawned by her father and twice almost sold by her brothers with the connivance of a village bania (moneylender), a 14-year-old girl has been rescued by a philanthropic organisation at Muttra, near Delhi, and brought back to her native village in Haldwani, near Naini Tal, summer capital of the United Provinces.

About a year ago her father had pawned the girl for 200 rupees (about £15) with the bania. As he was unable to pay back the advance, he agreed to sell the girl for 600 rupees (£45), but he died before the deal could be completed.

His two sons, however, promised the bania to hand over their sister to him if the balance was paid to them.

The bania, having no ready cash with him, persuaded the brothers to let him take the girl to Muttra for disposal to the highest bidder.

The brothers agreed to the proposal and accompanied the bania with their sister to Muttra, where twice they attempted to sell their sister for 2,400 rupees (£180) and 3,000 rupees (£225) respectively. The attempts, however, proved abortive. The girl has now been rescued and handed back to her mother.—Reuter.

H.M. submarine Thames is to carry out a round-Africa cruise.

"AUSSIES" IN WALES.

NAWAB REAPPEARS FOR WORCESTER.

FAGG'S 1,000 JULY RUNS.

ROSES' BATTLE AT OLD TRAFFORD.

Maurice Turnbull, the Glamorgan captain, did his side good service by winning the toss and taking first knock against the Australians at Swansea today.

After recent heavy rain the pitch was soft and totally unsuited to the pace bowling of M'Cormick and Waite, who used sawdust in order to get a firmer foothold. Despite the far from promising weather, a good crowd saw Dyson and Emrys Davies, though handicapped by poor light, make an encouraging start.

Both M'Cormick and Waite, who swung the ball appreciably, set a field of six men encircling the batsmen. Dyson and Davies, however, had plenty of time for their strokes, although the left-hander, when 13 and with the total 23, might have been taken at deep fine leg.

ANOTHER M'MURRAY 100.

T. M'Murray, playing for Surrey II. against Suffolk at Ipswich on Friday, scored 110.

Dyson on-drove a no-ball from M'Cormick for three—the dead outfield prevented a boundary—and Davies cracked the fast bowler to the off in attractive fashion for four.

Bradman brought on White for M'Cormick at 30, but persevered with Waite, who bowled a splendid length and forced the batsmen to play him. It was not long, however, before the threatened rain began and after playing on for five minutes the players scampered for the pavilion. An hour's cricket had then produced 38 runs.

The crowd running across the ground to the shelter of the stand were told by a loud-speaker to keep off the pitch. The covers were put on, the conditions being dismal in the extreme with a long wait probable.

GLAMORGAN V. AUSTRALIANS.

Scores:—

GLAMORGAN—First Innings.

Dyson not out	15
Davies (E.) not out	18
Extras	5
Total (for no wicket)	38

Rain stopped play.

LANCASHIRE V. YORKSHIRE.

At Old Trafford. The weather was cloudy and windy, and the wicket wet; start delayed. Scores:—

LANCASHIRE—First Innings.

Washbrook c Wood b Bowes	15
Paynter c and b Verity	13
Iddon not out	15
Oldfield not out	12
Total (for two wickets)	55

SUSSEX V. MIDDLESEX.

At Hove. The weather was fine and the wicket good. Scores:—

SUSSEX—First Innings.

Langridge (John) b Peebles	63
Parks (J.) lbw b Sims	19
Parks (H.) not out	65
R. G. Stainton not out	1
Extra	1
Total (for two wickets)	149

GLOUCESTERSHIRE V. SOMERSET.

At Bristol. The weather was dull and the wicket rather soft. Scores:—

SOMERSET—First Innings.

Lee not out	45
Gimblett c Emmett b Goddard	50
M. D. Lyon not out	24
Extras	5
Total (for one wicket)	124

SURREY V. NOTTS.

At the Oval. The weather was fine and the wicket good. Scores:—

SURREY—First Innings.

Fishlock b Gunn	22
Gregory c Wheat b Gunn	29
Squires not out	19
Barling b Voce	7
Whitfield not out	4
Extras	2
Total (for three wickets)	83

WARWICKSHIRE V. DERBYSHIRE.

At Birmingham. The weather was fine, but dull, and the wicket good. Scores:—

WARWICKSHIRE—First Innings.

Croom c Pope (G.) b Pope (A.)	2
Hill c Elliott b Copson	1
Paine c Alderman b Copson	0
R. E. S. Wyatt c Pope (G.) b Pope (A.)	7
Dollery not out	46
Ord c Pope (G.) b Mitchell	28
Buckingham not out	2
Extras	2
Total (for five wickets)	88

KENT V. HANTS.

At Canterbury. The weather was fine and the wicket good. Scores:—

KENT—First Innings.

Woolley c Creese b Herman	17
Fagg b Knott	42
Todd b Heath	24
B. H. Valentine not out	20
F. G. H. Chalk not out	20
Extras	10
Total (for three wickets)	133

Fagg has now scored 1,000 runs in July.

WORCESTERSHIRE V. ESSEX.

At Worcester. The weather was fine and the wicket good. Scores:—

WORCESTERSHIRE—First Innings.

Cooper lbw b Nichols	3
King c Taylor b Farnes	16
C. D. A. Pullan b Farnes	5
Nawab of Pataudi not out	47
Gibbons b Farnes	0
R. C. H. Human b Stephenson	10
C. H. Palmer b Nichols	5
Howorth c Wade b Nichols	11
Buller lbw b Farnes	4
Jenkins not out	3
Extras	14
Total (for eight wickets)	118

NORTHANTS V. LEICESTERSHIRE.

At Northampton. The weather was fine, but cloudy, and the wicket good. Scores:—

LEICESTERSHIRE—First Innings.

Berry c Dunkley b Buswell	6
Thursting b Timms	17
Armstrong not out	31
Prentice not out	15
Extras	9
Total (for two wickets)	78

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

				First innings lead in match.				
	P.	W.	L.	D.	L.	D.	Pts.	Avge.
Yorkshire	19	13	2	4	0	3	168	8.84
Middlesex	15	10	4	1	0	1	124	8.26
Lancashire	19	12	2	5	0	3	156	8.21
Surrey	18	10	4	4	1	2	132	7.33
Warwickshire	14	6	4	4	0	2	80	5.71
Derbyshire	17	6	6	5	2	3	92	5.41
Somerset	18	7	7	4	2	3	96	5.33
Leicestershire	14	4	2	8	0	6	72	5.14
Essex	18	6	10	2	3	1	88	4.88
Hampshire	21	8	9	4	1	0	100	4.76
Kent	19	5	9	5	2	4	84	4.42
Sussex	20	6	7	7	2	2	88	4.40
Worcester	22	7	7	8	1	1	92	4.18
Nottingham	17	4	8	5	2	2	66*	3.88
Glamorgan	15	3	7	5	1	3	52	3.46
Gloucester	19	3	10	6	1	4	58*	3.05
Northampton	17	0	12	5	2	1	12	.70

*Includes two points for tie on first innings in match lost.

ARSENAL MANAGER AND COMPTON.

"The position is unchanged as far as I know," said Mr. George Allison to-day regarding Denis Compton, who, under contract with Arsenal F.C. to play football during the winter, has been invited by the M.C.C. to take part in the cricket tour of South Africa.

"I have had no communication whatever about it," added the Arsenal manager, "though the M.C.C. must know my views from what has appeared in the papers. I don't suppose I shall see Compton before Monday night, when I return to London.

"However, I am sure the matter can be amicably settled. Apart from the present glamour of the thing, I don't believe the boy wants to go on the tour."

NEWRY CARPENTER'S ACCIDENT.

John Brannigan, of Dublin Road, Newry, a carpenter engaged at Daisy Hill Hospital, Newry, fell from a ladder on Friday evening at the hospital and sustained a fractured shoulder.

AUSTRIANS AND CZECHO-SLOVAKIA.

PRAGUE, Saturday.—The number of applications from Austrians wishing to enter Czecho-Slovakia since the "anschluss" has now reached a total of 54,000—Reuter.

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BIRTHS.

ADGEY—July 27, 1938, to Gertrude, wife of John E. Adgey, Ernieville, Irwin Drive, Belfast—a daughter.

CAMPBELL—July 19, 1938, at Mrs. Leeburn's Nursing Home, 57 Agincourt Avenue, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Campbell, 44 Cooldarry Street—a son.

HOEY—July 12, 1938, at Mrs. Leeburn's Nursing Home, 57 Agincourt Avenue, to Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Hoey (nee Cis O'Donoughu, 3 Andersonstown Drive—a son.

M'KINNEY—July 21, 1938, at Miss Moncrieff's Nursing Home, Ormeau Road, to Mr. and Mrs. W. M'Kinney, 104 Ardenlee Avenue, Belfast—a son.

WOODS—July 21, 1938, at Mrs. Leeburn's Nursing Home, 57 Agincourt Avenue, to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Woods, 92 Haypark Avenue—a son.

DEATHS.

ARNEILL—July 29, 1938, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, John, beloved husband of the late Elizabeth Arneill. His remains will be removed from his late residence, 30 Elisabeth Street on Monday, at 2-30 p.m., to City Cemetery. Friends will please accept this intimation.

At rest.

Deeply regretted by his sorrowing Daughters, Sons-in-law, Daughters-in-law and Grandchildren; also his Aunts, Brother-in-law, Sister-in-law, Nephews and Nieces.

CRIMSON BANNER L.O.L. 1116.

ARNEIL—The Officers and Members of above Lodge are requested to attend the funeral of the father of their highly-esteemed Member, Br. John Arneil.

SAML. MILLAR, W.M.
SAML. WALSH, Secy.

CARSON—July 30, 1938, at his parents' residence, 37 Susan Street, Victor, dearly-loved son of William and Jane Carson. Funeral from above address, on Monday, at 2-30 p.m., to Dundonald Cemetery. Friends will please accept this intimation.

"Resting now in peace with Jesus."

Deeply regretted by his loving Father and Mother and little Brother; also Grandmother, Uncles, and Aunts.

DUFF—July 30, 1938 (suddenly), at his residence, 109 High Street, Bangor, David, dearly-beloved husband of Jennie Duff. His remains will be removed from above address on Monday, August 1, at 3-30 p.m., for interment in Bangor New Cemetery.

Deeply regretted by his sorrowing Wife; also Son and Daughter, Ethel and Norman.

GLASGOW—July 29, 1938, Emily, daughter of the late Samuel Glasgow. Interment took place this afternoon to City Cemetery. Funeral was strictly private.

GORDON—July 30, 1938, at Hospital, Belfast, Arthur George, aged three years and eight months, beloved son of Arthur George Gordon, M.R.C.V.S., and Mrs. Gordon, Ardeevin, Magherafelt.

Deeply regretted.

HODGETT—July 30, 1938, at Tyrone County Hospital, William Hodgett, Mark Street, Dungannon. Funerad from his late residence on Monday, at 3 p.m., to Dungannon Cemetery.

MACKENZIE—July 29, 1938 (suddenly), William A. Mackenzie, of Ingleside, 4 Old Cavehill Road, Belfast. Funeral private. No flowers.

MARSHALL—July 28, 1938, at her residence, 6 Lisburn Avenue, Annie, the beloved wife of Thomas Marshall. Funeral to-morrow (Sunday), at 2-30 p.m., to Ballylesson.

At rest.

MURRAY—Greenisland, July 29, 1938, at Private Nursing Home, infant son.

Deeply regretted.

M'CLATCHEY—July 29, 1938, at Lurgan Hospital, Edith Jean, only daughter of William and Jean M'Clatchey, Queen Street, Portadown. House and funeral private. No flowers, by request.

M'CLURE—July 29, 1938, at the District Hospital, Lisburn, Margaret M'Clure, late of Ballykeelartifinney, Hillsborough.—R.I.P. Funeral from above hospital on to-morrow (Sunday), at 2 p.m., to Reilly's Trench, Hillsborough. Friends will please accept this intimation.

On her soul, sweet Jesus, have mercy.

Deeply regretted by her sorrowing Brother.

WILLIAM M'CLURE.

M'GIBBON—July 30, 1938, Edmund, son of the late Edmund and Bessie M'Gibbon, Palestine Street. Funeral from the residence of his brother-in-law, 96 Kimberley Street, on Monday, at 2-30 p.m., to Carryduff.

At rest.

NELSON—July 30, 1938, at his residence, 8 Glenmachan Street, David John, beloved husband of Martha Nelson. Funeral from afobe address on Monday, 1st August, at 3 p.m., to Dundonald Cemetery.

Deeply regretted by his sorrowing Wife and two little Daughters.

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Deeply regretted by his sorrowing Aunt,

MARGARET BURNS.

8 Glenmachan Street

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Deeply regretted by his sorrowing Brother and Sister-in-law.

1 Castleview Cottages, Knock.

NEWELL—July 28, 1938, at his residence, 128 Earlswood Road, Robert Newell. Interred to-day in City Cemetery.

Deeply regretted.

RUSSELL—July 30, 1938, at her residence, 6 Conduit Street, Ellen, eldest daughter of the late James Russell. Funeral private.

Deeply regretted.

H. AND M. FOSTER.

SHANKS—July 29, 1938, at her residence, Glenfern, 155 Ardenlee Avenue, Sarah Jane, widow of Captain John Shanks. Funeral on to-morrow (Sunday), at 2 p.m., to Saintfield Churchyard.

At rest.

Deeply regretted by her loving Son and Daughter-in-law.

CAPTAIN AND MRS. R. SHANKS.

Rosevale Street.

AMALGAMATED SOCIETY OF WOOD-WORKERS—BELFAST 2nd BRANCH.

TAYLOR—Members of the above Branch are requested to attend the funeral of their late and respected Member, Edward Alexander Taylor.

WM. M'MECHAN, President.
EDWARD SHEPHARD, Secy.

THOMPSON—July 30, 1938, at her residence, 25 Humber Street, Agnes Thompson, dearly-beloved wife of James Thompson. Interment notice later.

THOMPSON—July 30, 1938, at her residence, 25 Humber Street, Agnes, beloved daughter of the late James and Rebecca Lynn.

At rest.

Deeply regretted by her sorrowing Mother, Brothers, Sisters, and Brothers-in-law.

14 Cuba Street.

WOODS—July 30, 1938, Thomas Woods, late Sub-Postmaster Durham Street. Funeral from above address, at 2 p.m., on Monday, 1st August.

Deeply regretted by his sorrowing Wife and Family.

SOUTH BELFAST MEN'S MEETING.

YOUNG—Members of the above Meeting regret to learn of the death of their esteemed Member, Thomas Young, late of 87 Clementine Street.

ALBERT DUFF, President.
HENRY M'LEAN, Secy.
WILLIAM DOHERTY, Treas.

THANKS.

The Family of the late **Sarah M. Bell**, of Beech Street, desire to thank all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; to Dr. MacLellan, Sisters, and Nurses of Ward 15, The Hospital, Lisburn Road, for their kind attention during illness; to all Friends and Neighbours who sent flowers, wreaths, and letters of condolence. Trusting this acknowledgment will be accepted by all.

Mr. Clingan and Family desire to thank the many kind Friends who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement, especially those who sent floral tributes; also letters of condolence. Trusting this acknowledgment will be accepted by all.—12 Castlereagh Place.

Mrs. Currie and Family wish to return their sincere thanks to all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement, especially Dr. Reid and the Nurses of the Waveney Hospital, Ballymena, for their kindness during illness; also Mallusk Bleaching and Finishing Co. for their wreath, and Mrs. A. Anderson and Mrs. A. Montgomery for their kindness, Neighbours, and Friends that sent floral tributes and letters of condolence. Hoping this will be accepted by all.—Roughfort, Templepatrick.

Mrs. Ferguson and Family desire to thank the many kind Friends who sympathised with them in their sad and sudden bereavement, and to those who sent beautiful floral tributes and letters of condolence. Hoping this acknowledgment will be accepted by all.—34 Pearl Street.

Mrs. Keery desires to thank the many kind Friends who sympathised with her in her recent sad bereavement; also those who sent floral tributes and letters of condolence; also the Neighbours of Utility Street, Oswald Street, and Bentham Street. Hoping this acknowledgment will be accepted by all.—2 Bentham Street, Belfast.

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THANKS.

Mrs. Magookin and Son desire to thank the many kind Friends who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement, especially the Doctors, Sister and Nurses, No. 10 Ward, Royal Victoria Hospital; the Management and Workers Transport Board, Milewater Depot, for letter and beautiful wreath; to all those who sent floral tributes, and to Mrs. W. Magee, Brompton Park, for her kind attention during illness. Hoping this acknowledgment will be accepted by all.—79 Brompton Park.

Mrs. Martin and Family wish to return thanks to all the Friends and Neighbours who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement by the death of her brother, **Hugh Nesbitt**; also those who sent letters of sympathy. Hoping this acknowledgment will be accepted by all.—Rockview, Trooperslane.

Mr. and Mrs. Waring and Family wish to thank all the kind Friends and Neighbours who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; also those who sent floral tributes. Trusting this acknowledgment will be accepted by all.—17 Rusholme Street.

Mr. Charles Woods and Family wish to thank all the kind Friends who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement, especially the Workers of Monarch Laundry, Ltd., for their beautiful floral wreath; also those who sent letters of condolence and floral tributes. Hoping this acknowledgment will be accepted by all.—91 Lower Windsor Avenue.

The Family of the late **Mr. Thomas Young** desire to thank the many kind Friends who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement, especially the Members of the 12th Belfast Rover Crew and the Neighbours of Clementine Street for their beautiful floral tributes, and all those who sent letters of condolence and sympathy. Trusting this acknowledgment will be accepted by all.—87 Clementine Street.

IN MEMORIAM.

BAILIE—In loving memory of our dear father, William John Bailie, who passed away July 31, 1937; also our dear Mother, who passed away November 3, 1915.

We cannot forget them, no, not for one day.
We speak of them often, although far away;
The shock was severe, no doubt hard to bear,
But Jesus has promised we'll met them up there.

Inserted by their loving Family.

Newcastle Street

BAILIE—In loving remembrance of our beloved brother, William John, who was called Home on 31st July, 1937.

Severed only till He come.

Ever remembered by his Sisters.

CHASE—In affectionate remembrance of Mary A. Chase, who departed this life on the 31st July, 1937.

Inserted by her Husband and Family.

28 Penrose Street, Belfast.

DICKSON—In loving memory of my dear husband, William, who departed this life on the 31st July, 1936.

Two years have passed, but not forgotten.
We miss his smile, his kindly ways;
We miss him when we need a friend.
On him we always could depend.

Ever remembered by his loving Wife and Family.

ELLEN DICKSON.

Ouchley, Saintfield.

DONALDSON—In fond remembrance of my husband, Thomas Donaldson, who passed away 31st July, 1936.

At rest.

Ever remembered by his Wife, Family, Grandchildren, and Friends.

10 Cluan Place.

HARVEY—In loving memory of my dear Wife and our dear Mother, who died 30th July, 1936.

Dearer to memory than words can tell.
The loss of our mother we loved so well;
All through the years, be they many or few,
Will be filled with sweet memories, dear mother, of you.

Ever remembered by her sorrowing Husband, Nan, Winnie and Jimmy, 42 Moyola Street; also her sorrowing Son and Daughter-in-law, Richard and Isabella Harvey, 30 Edlingham Street.

HARVEY—In affectionate and loving memory of dear Mother, who died on the 30th July, 1936.

Ever remembered by Lily and Tom.

JOHNS—In loving memory of my dear wife, Martha, who died on 31st July, 1937.

The depth of sorrow we cannot tell,
The loss of one we loved so well,
And while she lies in peaceful sleep
Her memory we shall always keep.

Ever remembered by her loving Husband, Son, and Daughters.

S. JOHNS.

94 Bristol Street.

JOHNSTON—In loving memory of our dear Mother, who departed this life on 30th July, 1937.

We were not there at time of death
To hear her last faint sigh;
We only know she passed away,
And did not say good-bye.
What would we give to clasp her hand,
Her dear, kind face to see;
To hear her voice, to see her smile,
That meant so much to me?

Ever remembered by her loving Daughters, Eveline and Catherine Johnston; also her Son and Daughter-in-law, William and Molly Young; also her Sister, Phoebe Johnston.

26 Kensington Street.

LECKEY—In cherished remembrance of my dear husband, and our loving father, Andrew Leckey, who fell asleep on the 30th July, 1923.

Love and remembrance last for ever.

Sadly missed by his sorrowing Wife, Son, Daughters, Sons-in-law, Daughter-in-law, and Grandchildren.

S. E. LECKEY.

24 Lismain Street.

MARTIN—In loving memory of our dear Mother, who died 31st July, 1936.

Ever remembered by her Sons,

DAWSON, WILLIAM, AND HAROLD.

MATEER—In loving memory of wee Albert, whom God called Home on 30th July, 1937.

July brings back sad memories
Of our loved one gone to rest;
He shall always be remembered
By those who loved him best.

Ever remembered by Daddy, Mammy, wee Marina, Grandmother, Aunts, and Uncles.

134 Dee Street.

M'CABE—In loving memory of my dear husband, and our dear father, Robert M'Cabe, who passed away 31st July, 1936.

As he lies in peaceful sleep
His memory we will always keep;
It's sad, but true, we wonder why,
The best are always first to die.

Ever remembered by his Wife and Family.

MARY M'CABE.

High Road, Muckamore.

M'CONNELL—In loving memory of my dear wife, Mary A. M'Connell, who died the 31st of July, 1937.

I did not know her time had come,
I did not see her die;
I only know she passed away,
And did not say good-bye.
I laid a flower upon her grave,
A token fond and true,
And though she cannot smell its scent,
It is all that I can do.

Fondly remembered by her loving Husband, Son, and Daughter.

131 Hyndford Street.

M'CONNELL—In loving memory of my dear Mother, who died 31st July, 1937.

The one we loved is now at rest,
Her fond, true heart is still;
The hand that used to help us all
Now lies in death's dark chill.

Daily remembered by her loving Daughter and Son-in-law

MARGARET AND FRED BLUNDELL.

Also little Cecil and John.

11 Ardenlee Drive.

M'KINNEY—In loving remembrance of my dear husband, Richard, who died on 31st July, 1935.

Ever remembered by his Wife and Family; also his Father, Edward M'Kinney.

ANNIE M'KINNEY.

13 Upper Meadow Street.

M'QUILLAN—In loving memory of my dear Husband, who died 30th July, 1933.

Whatever else I fail to do,
I never fail to think of you.

Ever remembered by his loving Wife and Family.

CATHERINE M'QUILLAN.

44 Baltic Street.

NEWELL—In loving memory of my dear father, George Moody, who died 30th July, 1937.

Time slips past, but memory lasts.

Sadly missed by his loving Daughter, Son-in-law, and Grandchildren.

ANNIE DAVIDSON.

Carragullin.

NEWELL—In loving memory of my dear father, George Moody, who died 30th July, 1937.

Love's last gift—Remembrance.

Lovingly remembered by his Daughter, Son-in-law, and Grandchildren.

LIZZIE AND ROBERT IRVINE.

Ballymacreely.

RODGERS—In loving memory of my dear mother, Sarah Rodgers, who died 31st July, 1936.

Her love for us was boundless,
Her help was always near;
Her sacrifice was endless,
We miss you, mother dear.

Ever remembered by her Daughter and Son-in-law.

EVELYN AND ANDY CAIRNS.

21 Lisburn Avenue.

RODGERS—In loving memory of my dear mother, Sarah Rodgers, called Home 31st July, 1936.

Two years have passed, dear mother,
And still we miss you yet;
But we will always remember and love you,
Should all the world forget.

Ever remembered by her Daughter and Son-in-law.

VIOLET AND BILLY DORNAN.

33 Lisburn Avenue

SHERMAN—A token of love and remembrance to my dear husband, James, called Home on 31st July, 1934.

How oft it comes before us,
That sweet face so fond and true,
Resting now in peace with Jesus,
Loving hearts remember you.

Always remembered by his loving Wife and Family.

MARGARET SHERMAN.

29 Gt. George's Street.

SMITH—In loving memory of my dear father, Richard Smith, who departed this life July 31, 1932; also my dear mother, Maria Smith, who died April 15, 1933. Both interred in Carnmoney Cemetery.

Remembrance is the sweetest flower
In the garden of our thoughts.

Ever remembered by her loving Daughter, Son-in-law, and Grandchildren.

MARY ANN AND SAMSON M'PHERSON.

12 North King Street

SMITH—In fond remembrance of Richard Smith, who departed this life on 31st July, 1932.

Memories drift to days gone past,
Life goes on, but thoughts still last.

Always remembered by his loving Stepson.

WILLIAM JOHN AND LETITIA GALLAGHER, and Family.

10 North King Street.

IN MEMORIAM.

SMITH—In loving memory of my dear grandfather, Richard Smith, who departed this life on 31st July, 1932, and was interred in Carnmoney Cemetery.

At eventide the Master came,
And walked among the flowers;
He touched the lilies one by one,
But the one He plucked was ours.

Ever remembered by his loving Granddaughter.

MARIA TAYLOR.

23 Brown Square.

SMITH—In loving memory of our dear grandfather, Richard Smith, who departed this life on 31st July, 1932, and was interred in Carnmoney Cemetery.

The years roll on, but cannot fade
The memories of those happy days
When we were all together.

Ever remembered by his Grandchildren,

MAISIE, WILLIAM, AND RICHARD MURPHY.

5 Cavour Street.

SUMBEL—In loving memory of my dear aunt, Mary A. Sumbel, who departed this life on 31st July, 1923, and was interred in City Cemetery.

GEORGE FENNER.

WILSON—In loving memory of my dear Wife, and our dear Mother, who died 30th July, 1935.

Ever remembered by her loving Husband and Family.

Kilmakee, Dunmurry.

TO-DAY'S RACING.

CATTERICK BRIDGE MEETING

2-0—SWALEDALE PLATE of 150 sovs, for two-year-olds that have not won a race value 160 sovs at closing; second to receive 10 sovs, third 5 sovs. Five furlongs.

8 10 **BETHLENA Colt** (Mr. Dugdale) W. Nevett 1
8 7 **MAID OF MENDIP** (Mr. Robinson) P. Beasley 2
8 7 **KATMANDU** (Mr. H. Leach) P. Evans 3

Also ran—Pergolus (A. Roberts), Barland (W. Christie), and Tetracelle (W. Carr).

Winner trained by M. Peacock, Middleham.

Betting—6 to 5 on Katmandu, **3 to 1 agst Bethlena colt**, 5 to 1 agst Maid of Mendip, 7 to 1 agst Barland, and 100 to 7 each agst any other. Race started at 2.1.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Ruckley Plate, Birmingham—Nettleweed and Discord.

August Handicap, Birmingham—J'Accours.

Selling High-Weight Handicap, Sandown Park—Capricious.

Marine Plate, Brighton—Flying Scotsman II.

Wallands Plate, Lewes—Ballymoney and Island Guard.

Worthing Stakes, Brighton—Ballymoney.

Begby Handicap, Thirsk—Stonebyres.

All engagements in Mr. J. B. Joel's name—Testimony.

All engagements—Oliver.

GREYHOUND RACING.

DUNMORE PARK MEETING.

TO-NIGHT'S CARD.

ALEXANDRA STAKES: winner £5, second £1. 435 yards.
FLAMING FLUTER (bd d), Mr. F. Hull.
BANN BANKS (bk d), Mr. D. Campbell.
GRAND CIRCUS (f d), Mrs. S. Morgan.
TULLYVALLEY VAGABOND (f r d), Mr. G. L. M'Cluskey.
ROVING PAPYRUS (bd d), Mr. H. L. Bracewell.
LOANDA CASTLE (w bd d), Mr. R. Graham (T. Jamison).

FORTWILLIAM STAKES: winner £5, second £1. 435 yards.
LEGAL FEE (f r d), Mr. T. M'Grath.
WIRE FOAM (r f d), Mr. J. M'Guiness (T. M'Kelvey).
DONAGHY'S FAMOUS 21 (bd b), Mr. H. L. O'Malley.
NIP IN (f b), Mr. I. M'Donald.
EDDIE'S CHOICE (bd b), Mrs. M. Bryant.
BATTERY SMOKE (f d), Mr. J. Allen (M. Horan).

LISNALINCHY STAKES: winner £5, second £2. 435 yards.
KILLENAULE MASTER (bd d), Mr. W. White.
SLEMISH SNOWBALL (w bd d), Messrs. Potts and M'Curdy.
GLENDAY HILL (bk w d), Mr. W. Gilmore.
MYROE LAD (f w d), Mr. S. Marks (T. Jamison).
TARA KING (bd d), Mr. S. Walker.
To fill vacancy, if any:—
OSOEZI (bd d), Mr. G. Bickerstaff (T. M'Kelvey).

DUNMORE STAKES: winner £6, second £2. 525 yards.
CAULDRON (bk w d), Dr. J. A. Cunningham (Jas. Magee).
STAR ACTOR (be bd d), Mr. D. Reilly (M. Horan).
BORDER MOON (bd d), Mr. J. R. Burns.
ROE NIBS (bd d), Mr. J. Baird.

CRUSADER STAKES: winner £5, second £2. 550 yards.
IRISH ELK (r bd d), Dr. P. J. Maguire (Jas. Magee).
MOY ANCHOR (bk d), Mr. M. Hopkins (M. Horan).
SLEMISH SMASHER (f d), Mr. T. M'Curdy.
GANAWAY MAID (bd b), Mr. W. Gilmore.
BANENHEN BOY (bd w d), Mr. H. Hudson (T. M'Kelvey).
To fill vacancy, if any:—
MURRAY'S WARRIOR (bk d), Mr. D. Murray (T. M'Kelvey).

BELLEVUE STAKES: winner £5, second £1. 435 yards.
MIDDLE STOCK (bk w d), Mr. A. M'Keever.
FISH CUTLET (be bd b), Mr. J. Smith.
FLEETING COMET (w bd d), Miss Cox.
KILEEDY RATTLER (bd d), Mr. J. Reilly.
DUCE R (f w d), Mr. I. M'Donald.
BONNIE NIGHT (f d), Mr. J. Nolan.

CAVEHILL STAKES: winner £5, second £1. 525 yards.
GORDON HERO (bk d), Mr. C. Walker.
BANNED (bd b), Mr. R. Johnston.
LONGSTONE LAD (bd d), Miss K. Cromie.
ROSE SPRAY (bk b), Messrs. Kerley and Costigan (T. M'Kelvey).
JOINT HANDS (r f b), Mr. F. M'Keating.
KNIGHT OF MOURNE (bd d), Mr. S. Keenan.

Complete selections:—
TULLYVALLEY VAGABOND. Danger, LOANDO CASTLE.
WIRE FOAM. Danger, BATTERY SMOKE.
TARA KING. Danger, MYROE LAD.
ROE NIBS. Danger, CAULDRON.
MOY ANCHOR. Danger, BANENHEN BOY.
MIDDLE STOCK. Danger, KILEEDY RATTLER.
ROSE SPRAY. Danger, KNIGHT OF MOURNE.
Night's Best—ROE NIBS.
Next Best—TARA KING.

DUNDALK DOG-RACING.

FRIDAY EVENING'S RESULTS.

Following are the results of greyhound racing at Dundalk on Friday evening:—

325 yards—1, Mr. J. Grant's Fane Fenian; 2, Randalstown Maid. Also ran—Diatonic, Black Ricket, H Company. Betting, 5-2 1st, evens 2nd; won by 3 lengths; time 19.65.

325 yards (hurdles)—1, Mrs. H. Cooney's Mullary Lad; 2, Loo Bridge. Also ran—Shanroe Brook. Betting, 2-1 1st, 7-2 2nd; won by 4 lengths; time 20.45.

525 yards—1, Mr. P. Fitzpatrick's Valeside; 2, Hymer Robin. Also ran—Cross Ranger, Easter Tide, Rathduff Hero. Bettin., 6-4 on 1st, 3-1 2nd; won by 3½ lengths; time 31.55.

325 yards—1, Mr. T. Balfe's Flying Light; 2, Coromore Rogue. Also ran—Mickey Doyle, Hiking Kit, Madahila Me. Betting, 5-1 1st, 6-4 2nd; won by 1½ lengths; time 19.00.

525 yards—1, Messrs. Duffy and O'Meara's Silverling; 2, Tobershiel Silver. Also ran—Derrahulla Maid, Silver Surge. Betting, 2-1 1st, 6-4 2nd; won by 4 lengths; time 31.90.

325 yards—1, Mr. W. M'Shane's Silver Record; 2, Drumreilly. Also ran—Mena's Darling, Mickey Dawe, Hasty Mable. Betting, 4-1 1st, 6-4 2nd; won by 1½ lengths; time 19.25.

525 yards—1, Messrs. Kereley and Costigan's Aero Girl; 2, Gaelic Singer. Also ran—Whitefield Lad, Cat Killer, Garden Air, Bog Lady. Betting, evens 1st, 3-1 2nd; won by 3 lengths; time 32.30.

TEMPO PARISH CHURCH.

FAREWELL TO RECTOR AND WIFE.

A social meeting was held in the Parochial Hall, Tempo, on Friday night in connection with the Parish Church.

Chancellor Armstrong presided and referred to the going away of Rev. E. J. M'Kew, B.A., to take up duties in Derrybrush, and said the Bishop had asked him to take charge during the vacancy.

Mr. and Mrs. M'Kew received a gift in appreciation of the good work they had done in the parish during the past nine years.

The Chairman apologised for the absence of Rev. St. Clair Caithness, Clabby.

Canon Tyner, LL.D., Fivemiletown, and Rev. R. T. Farrell, M.A., Brookeborough, spoke of the good work done by Mr. and Mrs. M'Kew.

Dr. Armstrong handed over the token and Mr. M'Kew suitably acknowledged.

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DENTISTS IN CONFERENCE.—MEMBERS OF COUNCIL OF THE BRITISH DENTAL ASSOCIATION WHO HELD A MEETING AT QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY, BELFAST. SEATED IN FRONT ARE (from left)—MR. BRYAN J. WOOD (RETIRING PRESIDENT), AND MR. HERBERT ELWOOD, WHO WAS ELECTED PRESIDENT AT TO-DAY'S CONFERENCE.

WHERE THE MOUNTAINS OF MOURNE.—A HOLIDAY SNAP ON THE CENTRAL PROMENADE, NEWCASTLE, COUNTY DOWN.

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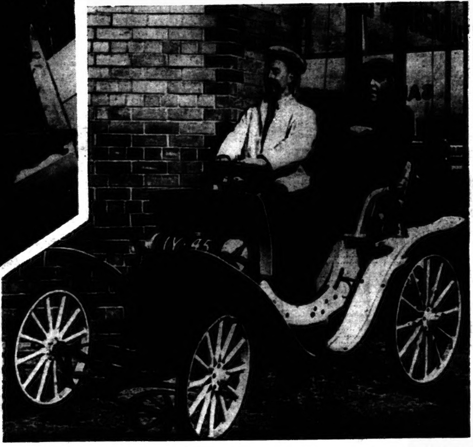
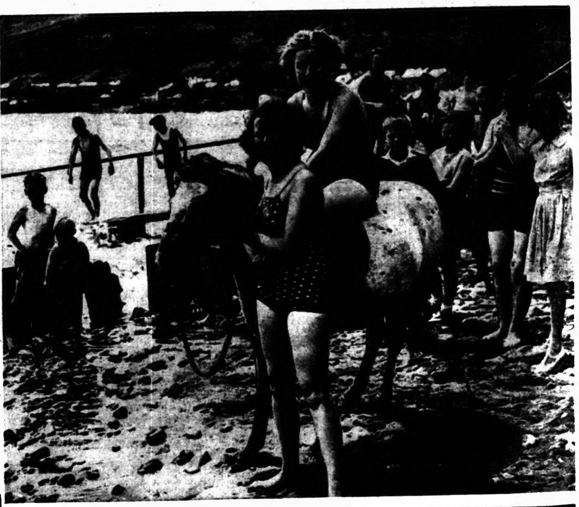
PUTTING IN THE WORKS.—A sixty-ton section of an engine frame being hoisted aboard the Waimarama at Thompson Wharf, Belfast, where she is being completed by Messrs. Harland and Wolff.



STILL GOING STRONG.—This Clement (under Panhard Levassor licence) was built in 1899 and is reputed the oldest car in Ireland. It was first owned by a French nobleman, then passed into Lord Louth's possession. It was in active service until 1917 and is still in perfect mechanical order.



THE SPIRIT OF THE HOLIDAYS.—TWO FAIR BATHERS JOIN IN THE FUN ON THE BEACH AT NEWCASTLE.

BRITISH DENTAL ASSOCIATION.—MR. HERBERT ELWOOD (SECOND FROM LEFT), PRESIDENT-ELECT, AND MISS ELWOOD (LEFT) WITH MR. BRYAN J. WOOD (RETIRING PRESIDENT), MRS. WOOD (CENTRE) AND MISS SHEILA WOOD (RIGHT) AT RECEPTION AND DANCE IN BELFAST CASTLE.

MR. AND MRS. M. KENNEDY (RIGHT) RECEIVING GUESTS AT BELFAST CASTLE. MR. KENNEDY IS PRESIDENT, NORTHERN IRELAND BRANCH, BRITISH DENTAL ASSOCIATION.

LATE NEWS.

CATTERICK BRIDGE MEETING

2-30—Slenderline 1, Bay Sally 2, Glanusk 3.

Betting—2-1, 9-4, 20-1.

CHEPSTOW MEETING

2-30—Litlun (4-1) 1, My Sandwich (4-5) 2, Trance (11-2) 3.

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